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A FEW FIGURES ON ITS DEVELOPMENT

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## A FEW FIGURES ON ARGENTINE INTERNATIONAL TRADE

### I

The Argentine international trade during the last 20 years has attained great development, drawing the attention of foreign countries to its prosperity. In the last decade 1903-1912 its development shows an increase of 145 %.

The total value of imports and exports during the last year, as shown by our statistics, reaches 865,244,725 \$ gold, but adding the ingress and egress of gold to and from the country, the commercial intercourse is represented by a total of 901,908,153 gold. Thus, if this sum is divided by 7,467,878, calculated by the Statistical and Rural Economy Department to be the population of the country, it will show an average of 121 \$ gold per inhabitant, a figure which no other country in America, and very few in Europe have attained.

The growth of the Argentine foreign commerce in the last ten years is also higher than in all previous periods and surpasses the most prosperous countries, as will be seen in the subjoined table.

### Rate of increase in the last ten years of international trade in the following countries.

#### AMERICA

1) <i>Argentina</i>	1912.....	\$ gold	865,244,725	
	1903.....		352,191,124	
	Increase.....	\$ gold	<u>513,053,601</u>	= 145 %
2) <i>Chile</i>	1912.....	\$ a 18 <sup>d</sup>	717,682,728	
	1903.....		336,750,241	
	Increase.....	\$ a 18 <sup>d</sup>	<u>380,932,487</u>	= 113 %
3) <i>Canada</i>	1912.....	Dollars	841,002,814	
	1903.....		467,064,685	
	Increase.....	Dollars	<u>373,938,129</u>	= 80 %

4) <i>Brazil</i>	1912.....	Milreis paper	2.070.327.540		
	1903.....		1.229.121.222		
	Increase....		<u>841.206.318</u>	=	68 %
5) <i>Uruguay</i>	1912.....	\$ gold	100.867.019		
	1903.....		62.473.368		
	Increase....	\$ gold	<u>38.393.651</u>	=	61 %
6) <i>United States</i>	1912.....	Dollars	3.857.587.343		
	1903.....		2.445.860.916		
	Increase....	Dollars	<u>1.411.726.427</u>	=	57 %
7) <i>Mexico</i>	1912.....	Dollars	214.382.364		
	1903.....		170.811.659		
	Increase....	Dollars	<u>43.570.705</u>	=	25 %

EUROPE

1) <i>Germany</i>	1912.....	Marks	19.704.298.000		
	1903.....		10.963.103.000		
	Increase....	Marks	<u>8.741.195.000</u>	=	80 %
2) <i>Italy</i>	1912.....	Lires	6.067.631.427		
	1903.....		3.464.192.096		
	Increase....	Lires	<u>2.603.439.331</u>	=	72 %
3) <i>France</i>	1912.....	Francs	14.703.897.600		
	1903.....		8.818.800.000		
	Increase....	Francs	<u>5.885.097.600</u>	=	67 %
4) <i>United Kingdom</i>	1912.....	£	1.344.168.421		
	1903.....		902.973.961		
	Increase....	£	<u>441.194.460</u>	=	48 %
5) <i>Austria Hungary</i>	1912.....	Crowns	6.149.082.728		
	1903.....		4.172.850.000		
	Increase....	Crowns	<u>1.976.232.728</u>	=	48 %

6) <i>Holland</i>	1911.....	Gulden	6.065.645.655		
	1902.....		4.380.000.000		
	Increase....	Gulden	<u>1.685.645.655</u>	=	40 %
7) <i>Belgium</i>	1912.....	Francs	8.469.530.739		
	1903.....		8.337.190.319		
	Increase....	Francs	<u>132.340.420</u>	=	1 1/2 %

AUSTRALIA

<i>New Zealand</i>	1911.....	£	38.574.369		
	1902.....		24.971.700		
	Increase....	£	<u>13.602.669</u>	=	55 %
<i>Australian Confederation</i>	1911.....	£	146.449.746		
	1902.....		139.251.849		
	Increase....	£	<u>7.197.897</u>	=	5 %

II

The balance of trade in the last ten years from 1903 to 1912 is shown as follows: (\*)

Exports (Silver & gold coins excluded) ..	£ gold	3.337.514.806
Imports " " " " " "		2.758.661.835
Balance of trade....	\$	<u>578.852.971</u>
	= £	<u>114.851.780</u>

This considerable balance has substantially assisted to accumulate the stock of gold which exists in the country, actually represented by

Gold in the Banks (30th June).....	£ gold	72.093.387
Gold in the National Conversion Office, 30th.		
June 1913 .....		266.534.334
	\$ gold..	<u>338.627.721</u>
	= £	<u>67.188.039</u>

(\*) See details page 21.

### III

Looking into the development of our trade during the last half century, the growth of each decade over the former one may be seen in the following table.

from 1864 to 1872 inclusive, total trade in \$ gold	644.646.430
» 1873 » 1882	» 1.017.409.000
» 1883 » 1892	» 1.947.425.721
» 1893 » 1902	» 2.403.692.366
» 1903 » 1912	» 6.096.176.641

The increase of the last period appears thus not only greater by the bulk of the total trade, a normal feature in a growing country like ours, but also by the coefficient of its increase compared with the previous periods.

### IV

The customs revenue of the Republic follows logically the progress of its commerce, and the figures comprising the three principal headings thus prove it.

	1903	1912
Import duties..... \$ gold	37.191.857	82.887.629
Export » .....	2.551.062	1.962
Storage, handling, wharfage, port dues etc. ....	3.600.710	10.166.198
» .....	43.343.629	93.055.789
= £	8.599.926	18.463.450

Therefore, the increase in this source of revenue in the ten years is equal to 49.71:160 dollars gold, or say 115 %, notwithstanding the abrogation in 1906 of the export duties, which represented annually about 2 1/2 millions of dollars. The wealth and prosperity of our foreign trade may be therefore fairly appreciated without any further comment.

The home trade is also considerable; the value of cheques in paper currency cleared in the city of Buenos Aires during the year 1903 amounts to \$ 1.764.996.929.84, whilst in 1912 it reached a total of \$ 6.223.569.912.78 meaning an increase of \$ 4.458.572.082, or say 252 % in the ten years (see details: page 36).

### V

Our commerce with foreign countries is also worthy of mention, especially with the English market which is, without doubt, the most valuable to us owing to its liberal policy which offers a free port to all our productions.

The data given below shows that Argentina is the country which has more largely provided the British market with cereals and meat in 1912, with a value of 32 1/4 millions £ out of a total of 88 1/4 millions, that is to say, almost a proportion of 36 1/2 %.

### United Kingdom imports in 1912

CHILLED AND FROZEN MEAT		£	£
1	From ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	11.445.080	
2	» Australia.....	1.381.408	
3	» New Zealand.....	430.446	
4	» Uruguay.....	340.900	
5	» United States.....	15.110	
	» Other countries.....	43.414	13.656.358

FROZEN MUTTON		£	£
1	From New Zealand.....	4.555.786	
2	» ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	2.773.005	
3	» Australia.....	1.744.113	
4	» Uruguay.....	89.719	
	» Other countries.....	130.891	9.293.514

SUNDRY MEATS FROZEN		£	£
1	From ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	587.309	
2	» United States.....	159.045	
	» Other countries.....	151.356	897.710

LINSEED		£	£
1	From British East Indies.....	2.095.034	
2	» ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	1.162.177	
3	» Russia.....	791.145	
4	» United States.....	123.075	
	» Other countries.....	284.788	4.366.210

MAIZE		£	£
1	From ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	8.434.756	
2	» United States.....	1.483.706	
3	» Roumania.....	1.474.428	
4	» Russia.....	884.608	
5	» Canada.....	17.773	
	» Other countries.....	1.297.855	13.593.316

WHEAT		£	£
1	From British East Indies.....	10.944.667	
2	» Canada.....	8.844.953	
3	» United States.....	8.327.347	
4	» ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	7.775.093	
5	» Australia.....	5.334.878	
6	» Russia.....	3.940.464	
	» Other countries.....	1.282.203	46.449.605
	Total.....		£ 88.256.622

### Summary

1	IMPORTED FROM ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.....	£ 32,177,420	=	36.5 %
2	British East Indies.....	12,949,701	=	14.6 %
3	United States.....	10,108,283	=	11.5 %
4	Canada.....	8,862,726	=	10.0 %
5	Australia.....	8,460,399	=	9.6 %
6	Russia.....	5,616,307	=	6.3 %
7	New Zealand.....	4,986,232	=	5.7 %
8	Roumania.....	1,474,428	=	1.7 %
9	Uruguay.....	430,619	=	0.5 %
	Other countries.....	3,190,507	=	3.6 %
		<u>£ 88,256,622</u>	=	<u>100.0 %</u>

### VI

English statistics also show in eloquent figures the incentive offered by our country for the employment of foreign capital, and of this full detail may be found in the subjoined table, Argentina appearing in the second place amongst the countries to which the issued capital was destined in 1912, and ranking third including the British possessions; that is to say, 46,983,000 £ went to Canada, 23,634,700 £ to the United States and 20,110,200 £ to Argentina. This attraction of our market for the employment of foreign capital is not a rare feature, and has been increasing for some years.

### Destination of new capital issued in the United Kingdom in 1912

	£	£
TO UNITED KINGDOM.....	45,335,300	45,335,300
TO BRITISH POSSESSIONS:		
1 Canada.....	46,983,200	
2 Australasia.....	13,462,400	
3 India and Ceylon.....	3,708,200	
4 South Africa.....	3,862,600	
Other British Possessions.....	<u>4,626,000</u>	<u>72,642,400</u>

### TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES:

1	United States.....	23,634,700
2	<b>Argentina.....</b>	<b>20,110,200</b>
3	Brazil.....	14,353,100
4	Russia.....	10,490,400
5	China.....	5,950,000
6	Mexico.....	4,085,700
7	Denmark.....	2,425,000
8	Chile.....	2,252,200
9	Central America.....	1,016,700
10	Cuba.....	838,000
11	France.....	692,200
12	Norway.....	632,500
13	Germany and Possessions.....	175,800
14	Other South American Republics.....	100,000
15	Austria-Hungary.....	40,000
16	Greece.....	35,000
	Other Foreign Countries.....	<u>6,040,800</u>
		<u>92,872,300</u>
	<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>£ 210,850,000</b>

### 1912

### United Kingdom exports to South America showing the importance of the Argentine market

To the <b>Argentine Republic.....</b>	<b>£ 21,340,374</b>
Brazil.....	13,150,715
Uruguay.....	3,001,269
Peru.....	1,528,330
Columbia.....	1,463,557
Venezuela.....	986,256
Ecuador.....	569,713
Bolivia.....	347,105
Falklands Islands.....	117,266
Guiana dutch.....	<u>77,112</u>
Chile.....	<u>6,513,802</u>
Guiana british.....	<u>756,323</u>
Total value of sales to South America.....	<u>£ 49,851,822</u>

The Argentine Republic receives 42.8 % of total

The next table shows the English exports in 1912 to the British Colonies & Dominions and to all foreign countries, and it will there be seen that Argentina ranks in the tenth place for the bulk of its corresponding importations, and in the fifth regarding the proportion of same «per capita» a position which shows the purchasing capacity of our market.

**Position held by the Argentine Republic in the Export trade of the U. Kingdom according to British official publications, 1912.**

Value of exports from Great Britain to:		Being imported by:	
	£		Population Per capita
1 United States...	64,705,968	1 Australasia...	4,568,707 £ 8.38
2 East Indies...	59,774,464	2 South Africa...	5,973,394 3.89
3 Germany...	59,600,087	3 Canada...	7,204,838 3.79
4 Australasia...	38,313,160	4 Holland...	6,022,452 3.59
5 France...	37,614,401	5 Argentina...	7,467,878 2.86
6 Canada...	27,301,442	6 Uruguay...	1,112,000 2.70
7 South Africa...	23,270,911	7 Belgium...	7,490,411 2.62
8 Russia...	21,759,632	8 Norway...	2,437,646 2.47
9 Holland...	21,665,696	9 Denmark...	2,775,076 2.22
10 Argentina...	21,340,374	10 West Indies...	1,709,732 1.71
11 Belgium...	19,606,377	11 Chile...	4,000,000 1.63
12 Italy...	15,020,814	12 Sweden...	5,604,192 1.45
13 Brazil...	13,150,715	13 Greece...	2,606,000 0.98
14 Japan...	12,431,895	14 France...	39,601,509 0.95
15 China...	10,851,258	15 Germany...	64,925,993 0.92
16 Egypt...	9,613,413	16 Egypt...	11,287,359 0.85
17 Turkey...	8,303,180	17 United States	91,972,266 0.70
18 Sweden...	8,100,249	18 Costa Rica...	388,266 0.62
19 Spain...	7,684,685	19 Portugal...	5,960,056 0.61
20 West Africa...	6,710,489	20 Brazil...	23,070,969 0.57
21 Cile...	6,513,802	21 East Africa...	2,651,892 0.48
22 Denmark...	6,180,232	22 Italy...	34,671,377 0.43
23 Norway...	6,034,693	23 Spain...	19,639,000 0.39
24 Portugal...	6,333,499	24 West Africa...	20,176,635 0.33
25 Uruguay...	3,001,269	25 Turkey...	28,813,600 0.29
26 West Indies...	2,922,029	26 Japan...	52,200,679 0.24
27 Mexico...	2,710,134	27 East Indies...	315,086,372 0.19
28 Greece...	2,602,773	28 Mexico...	15,063,207 0.18
29 East Africa...	1,285,492	29 Russia...	163,778,800 0.13
30 Costa Rica...	243,849	30 China...	433,553,930 0.02
Total including other countries.....		£ 599,271,907	

**1912**  
**The Trade of the United States of America with the Republics of South America is shown in the following tables compiled from the American official statistics.**

	Imports American Dollars	Exports American Dollars	BALANCE OF TRADE	
			In favour of U. S. A. American Dollars	Against U. S. A. American Dollars
Argentine Republic...	29,847,016	53,158,179	23,311,163	
Uruguay .....	3,231,676	6,880,325	3,648,649	
Bolivia .....	9,884	991,525	981,641	
Guiana (British)....	1,214,840	1,788,935	574,095	
Guiana (French).....	50,811	248,824	198,013	
Paraguay .....	9,443	161,661	152,218	
Falkland Islands.....	—	334	334	
Brazil .....	123,881,644	34,678,081		89,203,563
Venezuela.....	10,657,999	4,703,605		5,954,384
Columbia.....	11,219,481	5,748,859		5,470,622
Chile.....	20,164,848	15,491,846		4,673,002
Peru.....	10,124,069	5,522,459		4,601,610
Ecuador.....	3,728,933	2,143,605		1,585,328
Guiana (dutch).....	948,682	792,213		156,469
	215,089,316	132,310,451	28,866,113	111,644,978

**Value of merchandise exported from the United States to the Republics of South America in the year 1912, showing the importance of the Argentine market.**

	American Dollars	American Dollars
To the Argentine Republic.....		53,158,179
» » Brazil.....	34,678,081	
» » Columbia.....	5,748,859	
» » Peru.....	5,522,459	
» » Venezuela.....	4,703,605	53,234,486
» » Guiana (British).....	1,788,935	
» » Guiana (dutch).....	792,213	
» » Falkland Islands.....	334	
» » Chile.....	15,491,846	
» » Uruguay.....	6,880,325	
» » Ecuador.....	2,143,605	25,917,786
» » Bolivia.....	991,525	
» » Guiana (French).....	248,824	
» » Paraguay.....	161,661	

Total value of sales to South America. Dollars 132,310,451

The Argentine Republic receives 40.2 % of total.

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## Principal articles of exportation from the United States to South America

## AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	6,970,575
2 » Chile.....	657,044
3 » Uruguay.....	506,153
4 » Brazil.....	426,124
5 » Peru.....	87,057
6 » Ecuador.....	23,590
7 » Venezuela.....	8,143
8 » Paraguay.....	4,983
	<u>8,683,669</u>

## CHEMICALS, DRUGS, DYES AND MEDICINES

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	1,220,856
2 » Brazil.....	639,503
3 » Chile.....	343,524
4 » Columbia.....	319,043
5 » Venezuela.....	288,201
6 » Peru.....	269,913
7 » Uruguay.....	168,169
8 » Ecuador.....	126,282
9 » Bolivia.....	35,154
10 » Guiana (british).....	34,626
11 » Paraguay.....	16,938
	<u>3,463,109</u>

## LEATHER AND TANNED SKINS AND MANUFACTURES OF

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	1,888,771
2 » Brazil.....	845,544
3 » Chile.....	690,149
4 » Uruguay.....	253,724
5 » Peru.....	252,140
6 » Columbia.....	202,841
7 » Venezuela.....	141,279
8 » Ecuador.....	132,550
9 » Guiana (british).....	42,742
10 » Bolivia.....	26,223
	<u>4,475,963</u>

## CARS FOR PASSENGER, FREIGHT, OTHER VEHICLES AND PARTS OF

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	3,861,941
2 » Brazil.....	2,059,368
3 » Uruguay.....	511,474
4 » Chile.....	347,887
5 » Columbia.....	167,196
6 » Venezuela.....	78,574
7 » Peru.....	56,838
8 » Ecuador.....	38,343
9 » Guiana (british).....	24,884
	<u>7,146,505</u>

## IRON AND STEEL AND MANUFACTURES OF

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	13,790,328
2 » Brazil.....	11,887,993
3 » Chile.....	6,575,500
4 » Uruguay.....	1,531,477
5 » Peru.....	1,528,482
6 » Columbia.....	1,395,985
7 » Venezuela.....	1,094,394
8 » Ecuador.....	591,487
9 » Guiana (british).....	80,774
10 » Paraguay.....	76,646
11 » Guiana (dutch).....	28,804
12 » Guiana (french).....	4,028
	<u>38,585,808</u>

## NAVAL STORES

	Dollars
1 To Brazil.....	1,354,376
2 » Argentina.....	1,289,623
3 » Uruguay.....	233,828
4 » Chile.....	150,895
5 » Columbia.....	90,486
6 » Peru.....	80,037
7 » Venezuela.....	65,429
8 » Ecuador.....	4,389
	<u>3,269,063</u>

## OILS: ANIMAL, MINERAL &amp; VEGETAL

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	4,921,677
2 » Brazil.....	4,540,379
3 » Chile.....	2,058,593
4 » Uruguay.....	1,113,588
5 » Columbia.....	206,264
6 » Venezuela.....	186,979
7 » Guiana (british).....	150,762
8 » Peru.....	108,649
9 » Ecuador.....	70,513
10 » Guiana (dutch).....	42,178
11 » Guiana (french).....	34,922
12 » Paraguay.....	6,629
	<u>13,441,133</u>

## TWINE

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	1,743,655
2 » Brazil.....	54,959
	<u>1,798,614</u>

## PAPER AND MANUFACTURES OF

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	1,062,397
2 » Chile.....	326,604
3 » Brazil.....	258,782
4 » Peru.....	117,089
5 » Columbia.....	77,384
6 » Uruguay.....	72,612
7 » Venezuela.....	60,967
8 » Ecuador.....	53,678
	<u>2,029,513</u>

## WOOD AND MANUFACTURES OF

	Dollars
1 To Argentina.....	9,540,546
2 » Brazil.....	1,519,415
3 » Uruguay.....	1,310,969
4 » Chile.....	1,238,901
5 » Peru.....	869,715
6 » Columbia.....	88,572
7 » Venezuela.....	82,572
8 » Guiana (british).....	82,367
9 » Ecuador.....	23,938
10 » Guiana (dutch).....	22,646
11 » Paraguay.....	2,579
12 » Guiana (french).....	1,465
	<u>14,783,685</u>

## Summary

	Totals Dollars	Part corresponding to Argentina	% of total
Agricultural implements.....	8,683,669	6,970,575	= 78,6 "
Cars for passenger etc.....	7,146,505	3,861,941	= 54,0 "
Chemicals, drugs etc.....	3,463,109	1,220,856	= 35,2 "
Iron and steel etc.....	38,585,808	13,790,328	= 35,7 "
Leather & manufactures of.....	4,475,963	1,888,771	= 42,2 "
Naval stores.....	3,269,063	1,289,623	= 39,1 "
Oils: animal, mineral etc.....	13,441,133	4,921,677	= 36,6 "
Paper and manufactures of.....	2,029,513	1,062,397	= 52,3 "
Twine.....	1,798,614	1,743,655	= 92,0 "
Wood and manufactures of.....	14,783,685	9,540,546	= 64,5 "
	97,677,062	46,290,369	= 47,4 "
Other goods of minor importance....	34,633,389	6,867,810	= 20,0 "
Total exports in 1912 to South America.....	132,310,451	53,158,179	= 40,2 "

# VII

Amongst the principal items of our wealth stands forth the meat trade transacted during the last quarter of a century by the advance and energy of the country, the improving of its stock, and the change of the primitive methods of treating the meat which constituted the traditional system of three centuries, (jerked beef, etc.), into the freezing and preserving of the meats of the finest quality, by the most perfect methods, and into the nutritious extracts and other products, which are the result of improved industry and latest progress. The growth of this branch of our activity is also extraordinary and is fully shown by the following figures.

In 1885, the year in which the frozen meat system first commenced, all the exports of meat in its various forms, reached a total of \$ gold 6,684,945, whereas in 1912, it increased to \$ gold 56,502,816, that is to say, almost nine times the value of the annual sale 28 years before. In the course of these 28 years the Argentine Republic has sold meat to foreign countries to a value of 564,503,099 \$ gold (£ 112,004,583), this enormous sum corresponding to an annual average of 20,160,825 \$ gold. Since the year 1900 the trade has been progressively higher, and in the last few years, the yearly increases have varied from 4 to 10 millions \$ gold.

## Meat trade — Increase of exports in 28 years

	1885	1912
Live stock: cattle.....	\$ gold 2,345,343	9,140,080
» sheep.....	58,552	314,694
Chilled & frozen beef.....	1,680	34,285,076
Frozen mutton.....	75,323	5,613,971
Sundry meats frozen.....	—	1,017,992
» » preserved.....	—	1,769,882
Extract of meat.....	—	1,223,860
Powdered meat.....	—	1,349,557
Preserved tongues.....	—	189,523
Condensed soup.....	—	197,433
Jerked beef.....	4,204,077	1,400,748
\$ gold	6,684,945	56,502,816

(See details pages 28-29.)

# VIII

The returns of the four principal agricultural products are no less interesting.

In 1903 we exported the following:

Wheat.....	\$ gold	41,323,099
Maize.....		33,147,249
Linseed.....		21,239,894
Oats.....		514,267
\$ gold		96,224,509

and in 1912:

Wheat.....	\$ gold	97,835,174
Maize.....		108,908,193
Linseed.....		34,213,565
Oats.....		21,858,517
\$ gold		262,815,449

In the whole decade the value of these four products alone, sold to foreign countries, amounts to 1,718,526,703 \$ gold, or say an annual average of 171 millions gold. (See page 32-33).

Bearing in mind the annual value of all our wealth exported, the following result is arrived at:

In 1903.....	\$	220,984,524	gold
» 1912.....	»	480,391,256	»
Increase...	\$	259,406,732	gold

## Gold coin trade

Years	Imports	Exports	Balance
1903	26,085,184	1,196,152	24,890,032
1904	24,917,951	1,604,292	23,313,659
1905	32,559,549	819,375	31,740,165
1906	18,212,323	1,545,622	16,666,701
1907	23,552,726	3,133,886	20,418,840
1908	28,651,215	44,817	28,606,398
1909	67,453,816	1,247,831	66,205,985
1910	37,027,936	1,669,892	35,358,044
1911	12,764,236	3,008,597	9,755,639
1912	36,077,807	585,621	35,492,186
	307,303,734	14,856,085	292,447,649

## ARGENTINE RAILWAYS. — Their development in 55 years

YEARS	EXTENT OF LINES in kilometers	CAPITAL \$ gold	PASSENGERS Number	FRIGHT Tons.	RECEIPTS \$ gold	EXPENDITURE \$ gold
1855	10	285,108	56,200	2,257	10,185	12,448
1860	249	5,379,868	747,684	71,571	563,134	438,961
1871	732	18,835,703	1,948,585	274,501	2,502,569	1,356,252
187	1,936	30,990,210	2,597,103	600,905	5,178,613	3,009,707
188	2,516	62,964,486	2,751,570	772,717	6,560,417	3,072,185
188	4,502	122,643,671	5,587,299	3,050,468	14,298,681	8,616,201
189	9,432	321,842,815	10,669,605	5,420,782	26,049,042	17,585,406
189	14,116	485,360,121	14,573,937	9,650,272	26,391,306	13,816,464
190	16,563	541,575,623	18,296,422	12,650,831	41,401,318	23,732,754
190	16,907	538,338,199	19,668,115	13,988,180	43,866,085	24,128,602
190	17,377	560,916,206	19,815,439	14,030,340	43,272,585	22,975,416
190	18,404	573,089,585	21,025,456	17,024,617	53,569,078	27,766,685
190	19,428	588,597,929	23,312,087	20,123,575	62,558,741	33,216,656
190	19,794	627,230,616	26,636,211	22,409,995	71,594,919	39,396,094
190	20,560	671,688,874	34,193,565	26,716,520	82,019,098	48,748,695
190	22,126	775,964,416	41,784,238	27,929,011	87,970,346	54,215,438
190	23,741	847,587,343	47,150,381	32,211,007	101,397,802	62,036,602
190	24,781	809,262,374	51,060,957	31,089,643	104,365,027	61,989,558
191	27,989	900,430,051	59,014,600	33,606,626	110,941,406	65,929,627
191	29,815	1,166,360,146	67,455,954	32,338,263	120,765,598	74,873,442
191	32,853	1,120,210,000	73,212,084	38,869,804	129,700,178	81,348,088

## ARGENTINE EXPORTS, under principal heads—Value in \$ gold—1912

PASSENGER PRODUCTS		
Live-stock.....	10,964,657	
Meat, hides, wool, etc.....	155,028,017	
Manufactured animal products.....	19,780,226	
By-products.....	2,443,056	188,215,956
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS		
Raw material.....	264,495,250	
Manufactured products.....	7,135,155	
By-products.....	6,556,167	278,186,572
WOODLAND PRODUCTS.....	8,083,112	
PRODUCTS OF THE CHASE.....	2,008,212	
MINERAL PRODUCTS.....	285,272	
OTHER PRODUCTS.....	2,712,132	
TOTAL.....	\$ gold	480,391,256
	£	95,315,725

## ARGENTINE IMPORTS, under principal heads—Value in \$ gold—1912

LIVE-STOCK.....		558,975
FOOD STUFFS		
Animal foods.....	6,380,045	
Vegetable foods and fruits.....	2,767,896	
Spices and condiments.....	4,385,865	
Vegetables and cereals.....	5,676,110	
Substances for infusions, etc.....	9,480,514	
Flour, macaroni, fancy breads, fecula.....	1,441,017	30,140,447
TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURES OF.....		7,594,968
DRINKS—Wines.....	10,187,471	
Spirits and liquors.....	3,298,873	
Sundries.....	1,191,048	14,677,392
TENTILES, RAW AND MANUFACTURED		
Silk.....	6,547,846	
Wool.....	14,373,567	
Cotton.....	38,138,408	
Sundries.....	19,310,342	78,370,163
OILS, VEGETABLE, MINERAL, etc.....		18,446,032
CHEMICAL, MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL		
SUBSTANCES AND PRODUCTS.....		14,281,226
PAINTS AND DYES.....		2,515,287
TIMBER		
In bulk.....	3,756,520	
Worked.....	6,131,857	9,888,377
PAPER AND MANUFACTURES OF		
Paper and pasteboard.....	5,749,443	
Sundry paper manufactures.....	4,117,459	9,866,902
LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES OF.....		3,903,152
IRON AND MANUFACTURES OF		
Raw material.....	23,342,960	
Iron and steel manufactures.....	23,654,682	45,997,642
OTHER METALS		
Unwrought.....	3,723,386	
Manufactured.....	10,643,323	14,366,709
AGRICULTURE—MACHINERY, SACKING, SEEDS, etc.		
LOCOMOTION AND CONVEYANCES, RAILWAY MATERIAL AND VEHICLES OF ALL CLASSES.....		32,798,668
STONE, CLAY, GLASS		
Raw material.....	28,780,696	
Manufactured.....	4,836,530	33,617,226
BUILDING MATERIAL.....		31,265,467
ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.....		9,308,785
SUNDRY ARTICLES AND MANUFACTURES.....		14,704,003
TOTAL.....	\$ gold	384,853,469
		(£76,359,815)

# Argentine foreign trade, 1912

Countries	Imports	Exports	Total \$ gold	Commercial treaties
1 United Kingdom	118,669,226	121,373,358	240,042,584	1825 May 12th.
2 Germany.....	63,441,803	53,995,175	117,436,978	1857 Sep. 10th.
3 United States....	59,176,051	32,391,148	91,567,199	1853 Jul. 27th.
4 France.....	37,618,578	36,052,009	73,670,587	1892 Ago. 10th.
5 Belgium.....	20,370,530	37,258,225	57,628,755	
6 Italy.....	32,487,152	21,147,962	53,635,114	1894 Jun. 1st.
7 Brazil.....	9,547,236	22,646,362	32,193,598	1856 Mar. 7th.
8 Holland.....	3,441,667	16,027,223	19,468,890	
9 Spain.....	11,928,307	3,582,495	15,510,802	1863 Sep. 21st.
10 Uruguay.....	2,496,913	4,714,480	7,211,393	
11 British Poss....	6,093,128	568,994	6,662,122	
12 Austria-Hungary	3,476,868	2,866,798	6,343,663	
13 Sweden.....	2,290,206	1,496,050	3,786,256	1885 Jul. 17th.
14 Paraguay.....	2,127,506	1,219,925	3,347,431	
15 Norway.....	1,468,794	1,804,741	3,273,535	1825 Jul. 17th.
16 Chile.....	571,412	2,456,280	3,027,692	
17 Canada.....	2,266,257	18,124	2,284,381	
18 Switzerland....	2,183,400	—	2,183,400	
19 Bolivia.....	430,750	930,284	1,361,134	1868 Jul. 9th.
20 Cuba.....	1,105,380	782,741	1,888,121	
21 Portugal.....	503,380	567,019	1,070,401	
22 Denmark.....	167,030	861,587	1,028,617	
23 Japan.....	774,885	—	774,885	1901 Jun. 5th.
24 Russia.....	262,859	367,643	630,502	
25 Australia.....	544,394	—	544,394	
26 China.....	503,847	—	503,847	
27 Mexico.....	13,720	400,355	414,075	
28 Turkey.....	103,501	163,054	266,555	
29 Africa.....	104,932	147,128	252,060	
30 Greece.....	109,076	—	109,076	
31 French Poss....	10,890	74,106	85,005	
32 Guatemala.....	—	44,266	44,266	
33 Portuguese Poss.	35,865	—	35,865	
34 North American Poss.....	10,261	24,373	34,634	
35 Dutch Poss....	31,140	—	31,140	
36 Ecuador.....	14,290	—	14,290	
37 Peru.....	2,360	8,835	11,195	1874 Mar. 9th.
38 Egypt.....	—	—	8,893	
39 German Poss....	—	5,525	5,525	
40 Venezuela.....	4,760	—	4,760	
41 St. Domingo....	2,403	—	2,403	
42 Spanish Poss....	1,718	—	1,718	
43 Danish Poss....	496	—	496	
44 Colombia.....	298	—	298	
45 Bulgaria.....	159	—	159	
46 Coal provision..	—	1,425,381	1,425,381	
47 Exports «for or- ders».....	—	114,903,510	114,903,510	
\$ gold....	384,853,469	480,391,256	865,244,725	
£....	76,359,895	95,315,725	171,675,540	

# Balance of Trade. — 10 years

	IMPORTS	EXPORTS	BALANCE OF TRADE
1903	\$ gold 131,296,600	\$ gold 220,084,524	\$ gold 89,777,924
1904	» 187,305,669	» 264,157,825	» 76,851,556
1905	» 205,154,420	» 322,843,841	» 117,689,421
1906	» 269,970,521	» 292,253,829	» 22,283,308
1907	» 285,860,683	» 296,204,369	» 10,343,686
1908	» 272,972,736	» 366,005,341	» 93,032,605
1909	» 302,756,095	» 397,350,528	» 94,594,433
1910	» 351,770,656	» 372,626,955	» 20,855,399
1911	» 366,810,686	» 324,697,538	» 42,113,148
1912	» 384,853,469	» 480,391,256	» 95,537,787
	\$ gold 2,788,661,835	\$ gold 3,337,514,866	\$ gold 578,852,971
	£ 547,353,538	£ 662,203,318	£ 114,851,780

THE ABOVE BALANCE OF TRADE IN FAVOUR OF THE REPUBLIC HAS LED TO A CONSIDERABLE IMPORTATION OF GOLD WHICH IN THE MONTH OF JUNE LAST REACHED THE SUM OF £ 67,188,039 AS FOLLOWS:

## GOLD COIN RESERVE

National Conversion Office.....	\$ gold 266,534,334
Banco de la Nación Argentina.....	42,619,160
London & River Plate Bank.....	9,179,333
British Bank of S. America.....	4,733,255
Francés del Río de la Plata.....	3,622,314
Alemán Transatlántico.....	3,502,170
Español del Río de la Plata.....	3,486,570
Italia y Río de la Plata.....	2,161,435
Provincia de Buenos Aires.....	833,509
London & Brazilian Bank.....	642,327
Anglo Sud Americano.....	287,080
Popular Argentino.....	267,655
Nuevo Banco Italiano.....	262,261
Germanico de la América del Sud.....	206,589
Francés é Italiano.....	149,368
Suizo Sud Americano.....	86,792
Comercial Italiano.....	37,270
Galicía y Buenos Aires.....	25,299
	72,093,387
\$ gold	338,627,721
£	67,188,039

## The Commerce of America

(IMPORTS AND EXPORTS) SHOWING THE POSITION HELD BY THE  
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC

1 United States of America.....	1911 12	\$ gold 3,996,460,487
2 <b>Argentine Republic</b> .....	1912	<b>865,244,725</b>
3 Canada.....	1911 12	841,002,814
4 Brazil.....	1912	695,630,053
5 Chile.....	1912	271,284,071
6 Cuba.....	1911	244,913,897
7 Mexico.....	1912	214,382,364
8 Uruguay.....	1912	108,129,445
9 West Indies (british).....	1911 12	106,658,238
10 Porto Rico.....	1912	95,966,633
11 Peru.....	1911	69,518,811
12 Bolivia.....	1911	56,852,233
13 Venezuela.....	1911	42,485,491
14 Columbia.....	1911	41,942,213
15 Newfoundland.....	1911 12	26,272,602
16 Ecuador.....	1910	25,576,790
17 Guiana (british).....	1911 12	19,055,337
18 Santo Domingo.....	1911	18,812,975
19 Costa Rica.....	1911	18,458,370
20 Guatemala.....	1911	18,126,406
21 West Indies (french).....	1910	17,600,400
22 Haiti.....	1911	16,192,801
23 Parana.....	1911	12,253,802
24 Salvador.....	1911	9,898,795
25 Paraguay.....	1912	9,586,333
26 Nicaragua.....	1911	7,667,830
27 Guiana (dutch).....	1910	6,576,150
28 Honduras.....	1911 12	6,466,839
29 Guiana (french).....	1910	5,794,070
30 Honduras (british).....	1911 12	5,773,133
31 Miquelon, San Pierre.....	1910	2,901,200

The commerce of Europe, Asia, Africa and Australasia  
(IMPORTS AND EXPORTS) SHOWING THE POSITION HELD BY THE  
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

Value of trade	8 gold millions	Population	8 gold per head
1 United Kingdom 1912	6,774.6	1 Holland.....	6,022,452 420.—
2 Germany..... 1912	4,737.5	2 Belgium.....	7,490,411 217.—
3 France..... 1912	2,940.8	3 New Zealand.....	1,038,004 187.—
4 Holland..... 1911	2,529.4	4 Switzerland.....	3,781,430 177.—
5 Belgium..... 1912	1,624.1	5 Australia.....	4,568,707 161.—
6 East Indies..... 1911 12	1,517.6	6 United Kingdom.....	45,652,741 148.—
7 Austria-Hungary 1912	1,291.3	7 Denmark.....	2,775,076 133.—
8 Russia..... 1910	1,245.5	8 <b>Argentina</b> .....	<b>7,467,878 116.—</b>
9 Italy..... 1912	1,200.1	9 Norway.....	2,437,646 94.—
10 <b>Argentina</b> ..... 1912	<b>865.2</b>	10 France.....	39,601,509 74.—
11 Australia..... 1911 12	738.1	11 Germany.....	64,925,993 73.—
12 Switzerland..... 1912	667.3	12 Sweden.....	5,604,192 72.—
13 China..... 1911	576.0	13 Algeria.....	5,563,828 43.—
14 Japan..... 1911	497.0	14 Italy.....	34,671,377 34.—
15 Spain..... 1912	421.1	15 Rumania.....	7,248,061 28.—
16 Sweden..... 1912	405.8	16 Tunis.....	1,923,217 28.—
17 Denmark..... 1912	368.7	17 Egypt.....	11,287,359 27.—
18 Egypt..... 1912	309.8	18 Austria-Hungary.....	49,418,598 26.—
19 Algeria..... 1911	236.9	19 Greece.....	2,666,000 23.—
20 Turkey..... 1911	274.6	20 Spain.....	19,639,000 21.—
21 Norway..... 1912	231.1	21 Portugal.....	5,960,056 19.—
22 Rumania..... 1910	206.9	22 Bulgaria.....	4,337,516 13.—
23 New Zealand..... 1911 12	194.4	23 Servia.....	2,911,701 13.—
24 Portugal..... 1911	114.5	24 Persia.....	9,500,000 10.—
25 Persia..... 1911 12	100.9	25 Japan.....	52,200,679 9.—
26 Greece..... 1911	63.4	26 Turkey.....	28,813,600 9.—
27 Bulgaria..... 1910	54.8	27 Morocco.....	5,000,000 8.80
28 Tunis..... 1911	53.5	28 Russia.....	163,778,800 8.—
29 Morocco..... 1911	44.0	29 East Indies.....	315,086,372 5.—
30 Servia..... 1910	37.7	30 China.....	433,553,030 1.33

# International Trade (Imports & Exports) of Argentina, Brazil, Chile and Uruguay

	ARGENTINA	BRASIL	
	Argentín \$ gold	American money and mil reis paper	Equivalent in Argentine \$ gold
1894	194,476,611	210,242,000	217,846,908
1895	215,164,228	216,244,000	224,066,908
1896	229,085,607	200,503,000	217,079,306
1897	199,458,247	235,149,000	245,649,515
1898	241,258,247	252,710,000	261,843,618
1899	301,768,202	—	—
1900	268,085,481	262,797,000 mil reis paper	272,296,150
1901	281,675,851	1,275,880 : 210 \$	321,521,812
1902	282,525,985	1,207,054 : 245 \$	304,177,609
1903	352,191,124	1,229,121 : 222 \$	309,738,547
1904	451,463,494	1,288,055 : 306 \$	329,341,617
1905	527,998,261	1,140,451 : 174 \$	375,299,099
1906	565,224,350	1,298,957 : 271 \$	434,768,245
1907	582,065,032	1,505,828 : 626 \$	477,310,685
1908	638,978,077	1,272,099 : 333 \$	491,115,466
1909	700,106,623	1,609,027 : 710 \$	508,214,387
1910	724,396,711	1,653,216 : 612 \$	520,763,242
1911	691,508,224	1,852,466 : 421 \$	622,438,717
1912	865,244,725	2,070,327 : 540 \$	695,630,053

Population 7,467,878

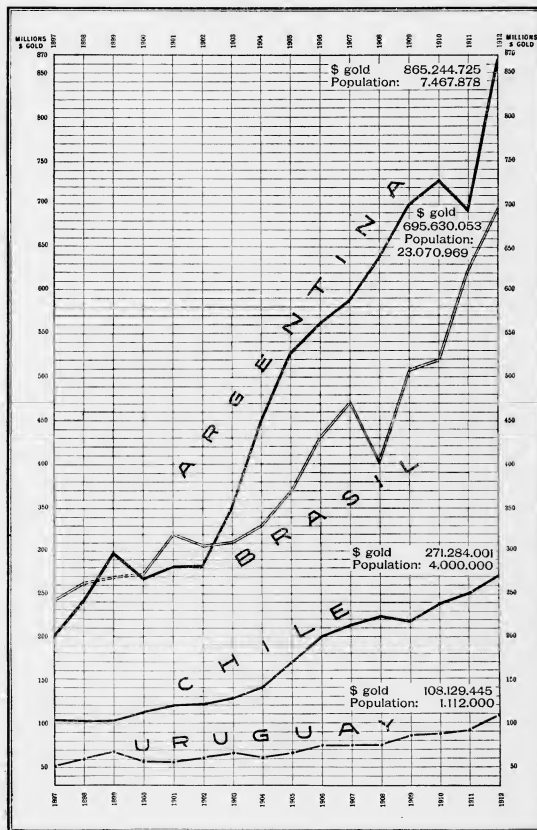
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	CHILE		URUGUAY	
	Chilean pesos	Equivalent in Argentine \$ gold	Uruguayan pesos	Equivalent in Argentine \$ gold
1894	148,223,539	118,282,384	57,279,881	61,404,032
1895	160,101,230	127,760,781	57,929,750	62,100,602
1896	140,823,229	117,164,936	55,933,269	59,960,464
1897	130,256,938 rate 18 s d	103,045,036	48,831,789	52,347,677
1898	270,331,480	102,185,302	55,061,277	59,025,688
1899	269,336,491	101,820,533	62,226,952	66,707,202
1900	296,212,777	111,068,429	53,389,065	57,233,080
1901	311,145,712	117,613,090	51,355,714	55,159,353
1902	318,308,169	120,320,487	57,177,647	61,294,437
1903	336,279,672	127,291,591	62,473,368	66,971,450
1904	373,149,864	141,050,648	58,481,343	62,692,000
1905	453,805,610	171,538,520	61,582,664	66,016,615
1906	521,500,312	197,127,117	67,892,893	72,781,084
1907	568,137,077	214,755,815	69,337,277	74,329,635
1908	586,413,241	221,664,205	71,954,331	77,134,957
1909	568,512,672	214,897,790	80,641,838	86,448,050
1910	626,312,873	236,740,276	81,023,159	86,857,148
1911	688,399,117	260,215,093	84,318,618	90,389,569
1912	717,682,728	271,284,071	100,687,019	108,129,445

Population 4,000,000

1,112,000

# International Trade of Argentina, Brazil, Chile & Uruguay IMPORTS & EXPORTS - Value in Argentine gold dollars



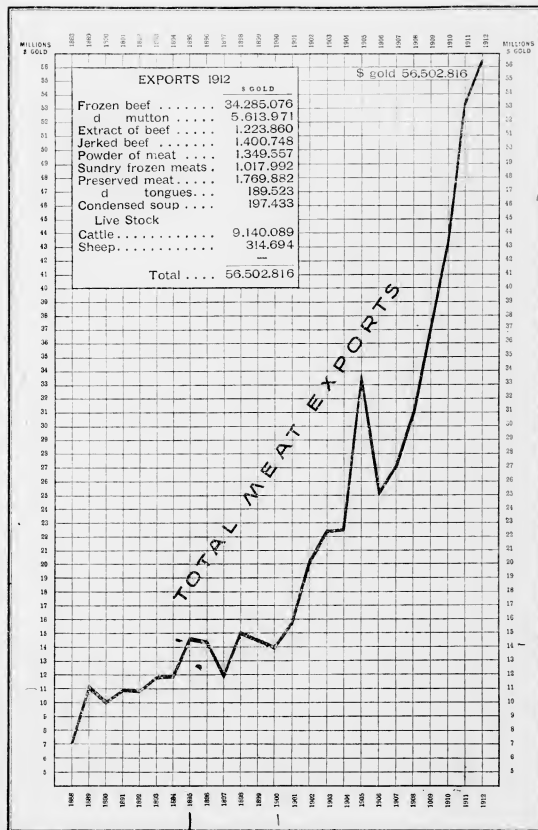
Cattle stock in the world showing the position  
held by the Argentine Republic.

(LAST DATA AVAILABLE)

British Indies — Cattle	93,946,149	
Buffalos	25,433,144	1910
United States of America	50,527,000	1913
Russia in Europe	32,241,000	1911
<b>Argentine Republic</b>	<b>29,116,635</b>	1908
Germany	20,158,738	1912
France	14,552,430	1912
United Kingdom	11,860,000	1912
Australia	11,819,000	1911
Austria	9,159,808	1910
Uruguay	8,192,602	1908
Canada	6,953,700	1912
Italy	6,218,227	1908
Hungary	6,036,943	1912
Russia in Siberia	6,010,000	1911
» Caucasasia	5,915,000	1911
» » Central Asia	5,251,000	1911
Mexico	5,142,457	1902
Sweden	2,689,609	1911
Rumania	2,588,526	1900
Spain	2,541,112	1911
Denmark	2,253,982	1910
Russia (Poland)	2,205,000	1911
Bulgaria	2,167,275	1905
Holland	2,026,943	1910
New Zealand	2,020,171	1911
Belgium	1,865,833	1909
Chile	1,640,322	1912
Ceylon	1,465,410	1911
Switzerland	1,443,371	1911
Japan	1,384,183	1910
Egypt	1,347,483	1910
Russia (Finland)	1,138,800	1910
Norway	1,094,101	1907

ARGENTINE MEAT TRADE - 1888-1912

EXPORTS DURING 28 YEARS



# MEAT TRADE

YEAR	Frozen & chilled beef	Frozen mutton	Sundry frozen meats	Preserved meats	Extract of beef	Powder of meat
	£ gold	£ gold	£ gold	£ gold	£ gold	£ gold
1885	1,680	75,323	—	—	—	—
1886	12,800	360,508	1,876	—	169,991	—
1887	—	963,112	8,837	—	75,888	15,250
1888	3,326	1,459,839	38,343	13,809	128,080	117,457
1889	58,742	1,322,604	17,930	101,714	105,668	19,830
1890	53,029	1,633,105	—	42,661	375,132	19,175
1891	5,902	1,862,247	31,211	258,926	389,454	62,116
1892	22,695	2,034,898	49,217	633,601	520,892	226,888
1893	222,279	2,003,254	34,324	196,080	198,070	75,497
1894	12,400	1,864,110	59,645	65,250	134,393	21,562
1895	63,482	1,675,273	16,120	92,325	208,399	21,217
1896	119,863	1,804,205	24,204	204,315	683,487	13,551
1897	169,644	2,035,778	27,903	115,127	257,772	5,582
1898	234,681	2,393,358	38,839	162,294	605,522	58,034
1899	363,141	2,265,069	36,863	181,600	765,504	—
1900	2,458,957	4,512,973	70,797	140,480	230,416	—
1901	4,490,447	5,041,023	91,648	94,717	433,590	—
1902	7,001,833	6,495,804	163,820	164,404	592,666	—
1903	8,151,956	6,251,959	203,973	374,154	693,174	—
1904	9,774,354	7,089,287	272,308	242,861	414,188	4,885
1905	15,285,693	6,268,059	356,299	248,826	870,950	599,460
1906	15,380,897	5,391,055	400,275	125,908	842,142	959,203
1907	13,822,162	5,582,781	460,198	159,477	1,791,574	1,536,828
1908	18,081,443	6,307,688	740,421	178,057	1,379,952	1,239,918
1909	21,065,747	5,319,612	649,206	639,013	2,702,988	1,057,675
1910	25,370,815	6,008,133	721,618	1,215,370	3,046,680	1,267,964
1911	31,283,396	6,873,285	946,859	1,541,333	1,031,154	904,730
1912	34,285,076	5,613,971	1,017,992	1,769,882	1,223,860	1,349,557
	207,796,449	100,418,313	6,470,706	8,962,184	19,871,616	9,576,379
£	41,229,452	19,924,268	1,283,871	1,778,212	3,942,782	1,900,079

# EXPORTS FROM 1885 to 1912

Preserved tongues — £ gold	LIVE STOCK		Condensed soup — £ gold	Jerked beef — £ gold	Totals — £ gold
	Cattle £ gold	Sheep £ gold			
—	2,345,313	58,552	—	4,204,077	6,684,945
27,267	2,203,150	41,557	—	3,738,820	6,555,969
20,090	1,415,625	42,884	8,257	2,398,424	4,949,267
56,668	1,798,251	34,685	—	3,456,787	7,107,245
58,706	3,194,113	66,526	6,889	6,139,875	11,092,597
185,412	3,579,456	150,428	10,547	3,913,304	9,971,249
195,753	3,997,270	387,545	7,728	3,566,854	10,765,006
198,813	2,624,675	170,422	6,455	4,100,488	10,589,044
171,584	4,433,944	362,904	—	4,115,134	11,813,070
266,144	4,540,160	448,678	—	4,564,447	11,976,789
158,911	7,003,230	1,292,527	12,069	4,225,419	14,768,972
127,980	6,543,550	1,536,056	61,964	3,217,541	14,336,716
112,270	5,018,222	1,512,684	22,941	2,466,313	11,744,236
112,044	7,690,450	1,733,963	32,447	2,116,468	15,178,100
116,439	6,824,010	1,631,041	29,342	2,038,413	14,251,422
204,196	3,678,150	594,675	24,005	1,979,557	13,894,206
205,525	1,980,372	78,248	16,217	2,879,455	15,311,242
167,854	2,848,445	368,656	11,769	2,647,450	20,372,731
142,170	4,437,420	503,241	100,599	1,542,018	22,400,664
189,400	2,852,820	85,219	114,044	1,391,931	22,431,297
155,615	5,160,483	364,209	122,066	3,738,444	33,170,104
91,200	1,676,145	315,359	70,614	596,643	25,849,441
227,119	2,062,390	331,701	107,789	1,178,056	27,250,775
262,058	1,876,820	311,376	115,822	772,819	31,266,374
360,444	4,087,820	265,908	188,735	1,325,053	37,662,201
284,352	4,056,450	231,540	204,293	1,033,020	43,449,235
214,150	8,202,750	332,070	175,444	1,661,615	53,167,086
189,523	9,140,089	314,694	197,733	1,400,748	56,502,816
4,502,587	115,271,564	13,576,348	1,647,769	76,409,173	564,503,099
803,371	22,871,343	2,693,719	326,938	15,160,551	112,004,583

## EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ANIMAL

YEARS	Salted horse hides — \$ gold	Dry horse hides — \$ gold	Goatskins — \$ gold	Kidskins — \$ gold	Salted Ox and Cow hides — \$ gold	Dry Ox and Cow hides — \$ golds
1885	682,260	65,651	1,081,762	641,050	4,488,234	7,511,919
1886	587,271	86,178	306,577	502,040	3,649,287	6,267,592
1887	523,128	231,236	400,140	609,569	3,639,095	8,408,742
1888	815,840	84,745	585,478	864,111	4,584,728	10,046,281
1889	759,588	77,487	821,599	598,677	5,260,945	8,448,069
1890	519,483	82,074	1,023,478	754,295	5,171,473	5,759,745
1891	908,912	146,275	676,329	687,851	3,782,143	5,049,556
1892	380,274	142,278	493,647	593,111	3,901,454	6,056,865
1893	673,936	205,186	302,958	607,019	3,073,310	5,869,157
1894	758,393	287,769	588,458	819,045	3,553,198	7,045,877
1895	1,381,719	203,652	648,600	705,702	6,332,204	8,940,950
1896	360,100	141,847	689,931	687,928	4,598,515	6,600,005
1897	515,708	240,763	779,750	652,331	4,605,572	8,596,344
1898	522,368	288,734	1,282,816	439,546	5,171,440	6,887,596
1899	459,824	233,484	1,211,087	541,632	5,334,832	8,001,132
1900	389,625	274,428	770,499	260,110	5,285,819	8,159,542
1901	390,826	293,495	791,745	304,494	5,281,756	8,848,438
1902	406,794	460,906	823,328	292,704	6,384,955	8,822,302
1903	453,237	424,616	847,465	221,996	5,360,748	7,787,819
1904	597,450	368,450	1,078,196	285,630	5,367,610	8,256,331
1905	160,799	444,027	1,080,305	264,462	9,147,153	9,929,391
1906	68,933	507,738	1,116,762	256,976	8,458,664	10,570,124
1907	51,691	261,721	574,204	237,055	8,345,410	8,175,722
1908	18,740	248,077	934,174	184,276	7,232,842	8,452,819
1909	28,026	657,009	1,124,524	335,735	14,214,746	14,763,693
1910	15,526	484,893	1,001,824	310,664	16,953,372	13,758,036
1911	33,374	591,748	998,631	285,114	19,642,362	14,797,653
1912	23,112	356,395	1,231,906	228,604	24,844,075	17,285,501
Total:	12,396,946	7,890,681	23,415,261	13,321,766	203,665,912	249,097,221
2	2,459,712	1,565,612	4,645,887	2,643,209	40,409,904	49,424,052

## PRODUCTS — 1885 — 1912

Sheepskins — \$ gold	Wool — \$ gold	Horse-hair — \$ gold	Tallow — \$ gold	Butter — \$ gold	TOTALS — \$ gold
6,267,377	35,950,111	1,004,649	3,489,169	—	61,182,152
6,350,671	31,711,604	775,977	1,715,158	—	51,052,355
6,698,408	32,749,315	988,643	788,777	—	55,187,053
5,610,923	44,858,606	1,257,970	2,140,393	—	70,849,074
11,386,593	56,709,774	1,157,525	3,297,471	1,618	88,519,337
6,787,108	35,521,681	929,686	1,996,629	9,608	58,555,260
4,833,991	36,037,518	936,470	2,391,388	660	55,451,093
9,618,175	44,326,060	790,227	2,263,729	3,045	68,568,865
4,158,777	25,006,348	829,762	2,549,763	8,347	43,374,563
4,915,384	28,948,933	996,468	2,809,450	5,850	50,728,825
3,711,966	31,029,522	1,070,770	3,807,751	123,600	58,016,436
4,061,055	33,516,049	902,441	3,179,326	225,771	54,962,077
4,094,640	37,450,244	980,650	2,656,048	249,928	60,721,978
6,194,267	45,584,603	1,099,465	2,862,512	231,626	70,564,973
9,308,535	71,283,619	1,129,912	2,205,593	294,872	100,004,524
7,472,988	27,991,561	1,136,107	2,803,327	263,939	54,809,954
7,339,811	44,666,483	1,004,677	3,902,715	377,545	73,201,895
8,487,078	45,810,749	1,064,646	6,209,038	1,277,966	80,040,496
10,132,065	50,424,168	1,147,879	4,755,579	2,132,056	83,687,628
8,676,025	48,355,002	1,025,580	4,012,083	2,117,761	80,050,138
9,483,396	64,312,927	1,245,788	5,321,099	2,157,294	103,546,641
8,513,910	58,402,771	1,243,812	3,482,526	1,762,130	94,384,346
8,458,030	59,252,948	1,280,122	4,806,835	1,214,173	92,657,911
5,626,416	47,246,183	1,143,615	6,030,601	1,419,867	78,537,610
8,483,993	59,921,151	1,368,724	7,573,230	2,597,089	111,067,920
8,623,922	58,847,699	1,335,160	9,536,681	1,150,610	112,018,417
7,724,872	50,494,027	1,581,710	11,768,900	558,253	108,476,644
7,657,157	58,148,664	2,111,177	11,314,728	1,470,682	124,071,911
200,677,533	1,264,558,320	31,539,612	119,672,499	19,554,295	2,145,790,049
39,816,964	250,904,429	6,257,860	23,744,544	3,879,821	425,751,994

# EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AGRI

YEARS	OATS	LINSEED	MAIZE	HAY	WHEAT
	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold
1875	—	—	3,714	107,517	—
1876	—	—	136,986	105,496	997
1877	—	—	166,889	219,570	7,335
1878	—	7,107	290,088	130,648	105,350
1879	—	20,338	501,857	105,625	1,328,692
1880	—	95,485	288,275	184,605	46,747
1881	—	604,387	541,058	37,283	11,111
1882	—	1,650,043	2,141,135	132,683	66,864
1883	—	1,153,087	372,804	137,531	2,430,184
1884	—	1,699,582	2,274,201	142,153	4,339,970
1885	—	3,471,305	3,957,101	165,587	3,139,736
1886	—	1,825,199	4,653,421	149,414	1,510,378
1887	—	4,066,409	7,236,886	148,506	9,514,635
1888	—	2,131,813	5,444,404	238,308	8,248,614
1889	—	1,607,162	12,977,721	572,153	1,596,446
1890	—	1,228,825	14,145,639	198,866	9,836,824
1891	—	732,798	1,384,088	420,058	23,733,312
1892	—	2,546,220	8,561,231	374,428	14,696,089
1893	19,504	2,887,975	1,578,545	638,640	23,459,026
1894	29,489	3,583,459	1,046,007	456,386	27,118,142
1895	228,875	8,287,112	10,193,338	432,657	19,471,652
1896	38,389	6,856,106	15,994,556	899,781	12,830,027
1897	18,110	4,096,288	5,478,718	933,716	3,470,351
1898	20,929	5,420,031	9,274,197	1,246,849	22,368,900
1899	88,493	7,402,488	13,042,983	1,158,825	38,078,343
1900	127,249	10,674,011	11,933,747	1,282,620	48,627,533
1901	47,139	16,513,263	18,887,397	661,576	26,240,733
1902	593,465	17,840,952	22,994,060	1,004,133	18,584,894
1903	514,267	21,239,894	33,147,249	1,033,244	41,323,099
1904	541,973	28,359,923	44,391,196	616,287	66,947,891
1905	334,349	26,233,851	46,536,402	801,219	85,883,141
1906	1,117,184	25,915,861	53,365,687	1,169,089	66,561,181
1907	3,593,397	36,081,221	29,653,979	769,505	82,727,747
1908	9,697,716	49,004,704	41,556,865	599,937	128,842,610
1909	10,115,161	43,713,358	58,374,439	580,853	106,038,040
1910	8,142,575	44,604,395	60,260,804	478,228	72,202,260
1911	11,666,291	33,579,990	2,766,597	679,425	80,675,066
1912	21,858,817	34,213,565	108,908,193	307,112	97,835,174
Totals:	68,703,072	450,248,207	654,462,598	19,620,603	1,149,901,014
£	13,631,561	89,334,961	129,853,690	3,892,977	228,154,064

# CULTURAL PRODUCTS 1875-1912

WHEAT FLOUR	BRAN	QUERRACHO		TOTALS	YEARS
		EXTRACT	LOGS		
— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	— \$ gold	
1,188	2,138	—	—	114,557	1875
33,069	4,928	—	—	281,476	1876
20,419	—	—	—	414,213	1877
300,282	63,802	—	—	897,277	1878
160,304	58,070	—	—	2,174,886	1879
100,695	44,353	—	10,121	770,371	1880
105,832	37,430	—	11,016	1,348,126	1881
39,188	28,320	—	—	4,058,233	1882
343,099	43,647	—	—	4,480,352	1883
261,406	58,948	—	—	8,776,260	1884
521,295	87,482	—	—	11,342,596	1885
362,807	40,105	—	—	8,541,324	1886
378,076	62,921	—	5,095	21,412,528	1887
639,244	33,132	—	172,700	16,908,275	1888
510,853	69,082	—	485,357	17,818,774	1889
600,894	28,337	—	826,508	26,865,893	1890
361,230	110,929	—	1,245,628	27,988,043	1891
1,024,041	290,849	—	617,811	28,110,669	1892
1,318,590	243,403	—	1,265,942	31,412,525	1893
1,019,931	211,551	—	962,687	34,427,652	1894
1,882,366	249,830	40,167	1,778,814	42,564,811	1895
1,949,556	708,738	68,419	832,718	40,178,290	1896
2,411,719	747,551	120,474	1,356,744	19,533,671	1897
1,592,495	767,972	119,224	1,882,604	42,693,201	1898
1,938,281	922,916	317,156	1,593,761	64,543,246	1899
1,718,085	1,163,120	595,701	2,398,362	78,520,548	1900
2,711,298	1,454,428	431,004	1,989,195	69,236,033	1901
1,603,568	1,726,562	999,994	2,477,233	67,644,771	1902
3,128,525	1,894,693	1,204,049	2,002,010	105,487,030	1903
4,757,248	2,409,250	2,011,130	2,527,227	152,562,125	1904
5,373,699	3,051,155	2,427,772	4,275,164	174,916,752	1905
4,477,064	3,249,888	2,162,949	3,425,101	161,444,904	1906
4,696,934	4,552,332	1,811,878	3,132,493	167,019,486	1907
5,133,335	4,698,879	2,994,922	2,962,184	245,491,152	1908
5,594,852	4,483,317	4,226,333	4,380,033	237,507,277	1909
4,947,137	4,521,783	4,429,357	5,604,430	205,190,969	1910
4,739,421	4,612,292	4,980,027	6,897,435	150,596,544	1911
6,926,280	5,949,579	4,836,860	3,568,557	284,394,837	1912
73,685,266	48,674,721	33,687,326	58,686,930	2,557,669,677	
14,620,081	9,657,683	6,683,993	11,644,232	597,474,142	

Table showing increase of the Customs

	1903 £ gold	1904 £ gold	1905 £ gold	1906 £ gold
<b>IMPORT DUTIES:</b>				
Specific duties.....	10,350,758	13,600,352	14,594,735	18,707,545
At valorem 5 %....	732,648	1,031,957	1,132,666	1,489,040
» » 10 %....	208,787	266,300	389,193	274,398
» » 12½ %....	—	—	34,191	—
» » 15 %....	728,494	1,223,344	1,210,105	1,566,973
» » 20 %....	220,767	329,678	306,018	359,185
» » 25 %....	10,388,409	15,083,872	16,372,639	20,725,039
» » 30 %....	—	—	—	2,728,039
» » 35 %....	1,555,365	2,328,154	2,544,871	259,968
» » 40 %....	1,130,138	1,443,143	1,719,829	2,717,134
» » 45 %....	341,411	470,064	574,801	341,662
» » 50 %....	1,094,398	2,098,643	2,208,804	1,386,531
Additional 2 %....	1,609,152	2,331,631	2,527,574	3,130,424
Law No 3892 5 %....	4,132,801	11,819	—	—
» 4069 5 %....	4,698,729	2,235	—	—
Total A.....	37,191,857	40,211,192	43,615,426	53,685,938
<b>EXPORT DUTIES:</b>				
At valorem 4 %....	2,551,062	2,487,541	2,413,406	1,160
Specific.....	—	—	—	100
Total B.....	2,551,062	2,487,541	2,413,406	1,260
<b>OTHER DUTIES:</b>				
Storage & handling...	1,356,698	1,747,809	2,012,832	2,637,397
Light & health dues...	282,136	329,030	368,653	414,180
Wharfage.....	773,360	874,686	1,066,961	1,246,234
Port Dues.....	517,579	537,319	608,803	754,268
Cranage.....	224,976	320,338	398,718	531,043
Stamp dues.....	337,924	408,510	449,779	509,701
T action & others.....	108,037	161,418	193,937	297,804
Total C.....	3,600,710	4,379,110	5,099,683	6,391,527
Totals A + B + C.....	43,343,629	47,087,843	51,128,515	60,078,725
	£ 8,599,926	£ 9,342,826	£ 10,144,547	£ 11,920,382

Revenue during the last ten years

1907 £ gold	1908 £ gold	1909 £ gold	1910 £ gold	1911 £ gold	1912 £ gold
21,588,416	24,698,061	26,707,996	33,589,360	29,913,452	30,282,150
1,465,391	1,338,617	1,526,312	1,831,178	1,897,041	2,153,738
354,675	561,978	840,036	354,119	632,572	1,041,996
1,683,739	1,913,165	2,439,469	2,479,292	2,578,663	2,138,717
474,484	250,534	281,926	189,336	200,433	253,643
20,814,802	20,685,008	22,394,141	25,399,980	27,757,856	30,601,286
2,099,820	2,520,395	3,186,308	2,648,296	2,733,257	2,996,238
320,662	259,101	416,665	349,802	293,374	287,239
2,926,493	3,416,150	3,933,044	3,431,546	5,591,130	6,780,585
—	1,627	101	—	—	—
1,587,574	1,542,908	949,357	1,758,527	1,656,760	1,564,022
3,103,342	3,199,235	3,615,082	4,002,211	4,270,114	4,788,015
—	—	—	—	—	—
56,419,398	60,386,779	66,290,437	76,033,647	77,524,652	82,887,629
—	—	—	—	—	—
692	485	4,351	3,902	3,541	1,962
692	485	4,351	3,902	3,541	1,962
2,844,969	2,831,426	2,937,095	2,760,237	2,981,325	3,293,178
435,596	496,093	528,894	566,135	591,627	661,989
1,311,557	1,254,159	1,246,514	1,275,847	1,291,144	2,551,019
711,784	821,649	825,672	902,488	967,482	180,428
520,458	568,961	645,140	687,073	803,131	803,131
541,970	591,581	628,881	596,173	1,093,409	1,461,766
327,941	332,005	424,372	909,547	1,094,414	1,214,687
6,694,275	6,805,894	7,160,329	7,655,567	8,706,474	10,166,198
63,114,365	67,193,158	73,455,177	83,693,116	86,234,667	93,055,789
£ 12,522,691	£ 13,331,976	£ 14,574,440	£ 16,605,777	£ 17,110,053	£ 18,463,450

# The Banks of Buenos Aires. CLEARING RETURNS

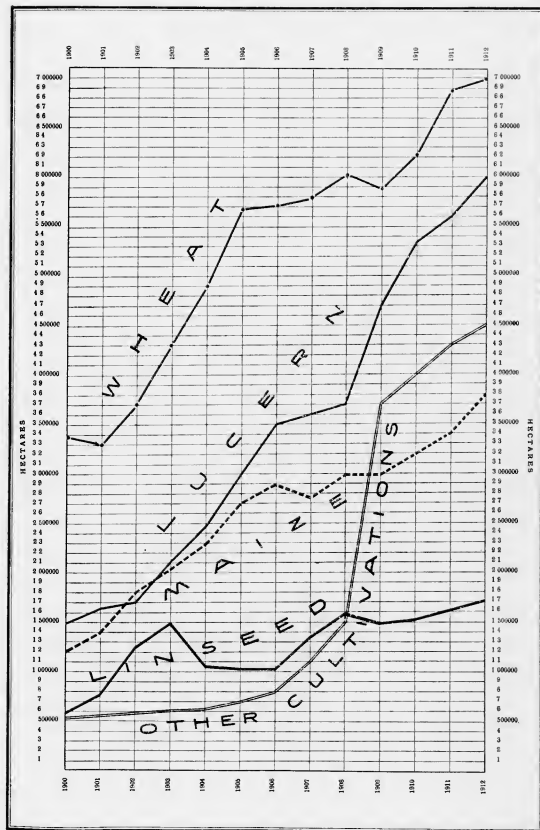
	GOLD	8 PAPER
TOTALS		
on the 31 <sup>st</sup> December 1900	696,584,994.16	1,794,209,766.10
" " " 1901	733,284,226.40	1,961,726,598.14
" " " 1902	738,413,033.20	1,958,036,818.94
" " " 1903	488,798,037.58	1,764,996,929.84
" " " 1904	397,127,804.22	2,056,555,922.52
" " " 1905	438,006,104.40	2,776,631,230.16
" " " 1906	486,439,237.50	3,203,164,631.20
" " " 1907	409,938,172.70	3,214,251,697.18
" " " 1908	332,484,796.16	3,282,497,806.56
" " " 1909	319,829,281.60	3,801,111,460.96
" " " 1910	321,663,797.32	4,322,121,561.88
" " " 1911	303,741,924.42	4,784,915,352.94
" " " 1912	292,744,741.36	6,223,569,912.78

## The development of agriculture - 1896-1912 Cultivated areas in hectares (1)

YEARS	WHEAT	LINSEED	MAIZE	LUCERN	Other cultivations	TOTAL
896	2,500,000	360,000	1,400,000	800,000	510,000	5,570,000
897	2,600,000	350,000	1,000,000	900,000	522,000	5,372,000
898	3,200,000	332,788	850,000	1,067,933	533,000	5,983,771
899	3,250,000	355,329	1,009,000	1,268,088	545,000	6,427,417
900	3,379,749	607,352	1,255,346	1,511,601	557,000	7,311,048
901	3,296,066	782,880	1,405,796	1,631,733	567,000	7,638,475
902	3,695,343	1,397,106	1,801,644	1,730,103	580,270	9,114,616
903	4,320,000	1,487,000	2,100,000	2,172,511	606,000	10,685,511
904	4,903,124	1,082,890	2,287,040	2,503,334	648,000	11,424,438
905	5,675,293	1,022,782	2,717,300	2,983,643	682,443	13,081,461
906	5,692,268	1,020,715	2,851,300	3,537,211	796,099	13,897,593
907	5,759,987	1,391,467	2,719,260	3,612,000	1,129,078	14,612,792
908	6,063,100	1,534,300	2,973,900	3,687,200	1,572,063	15,830,563
909	5,836,500	1,455,600	3,005,000	4,706,530	3,772,042	18,775,672
910	6,253,180	1,503,820	3,215,350	5,400,530	3,994,152	20,367,082
911	6,897,000	1,630,000	3,422,000	5,630,100	4,304,589	21,883,689
912	6,918,450	1,733,330	3,830,000	5,955,000	4,550,946	22,987,726

(1) 1000 hectares = 3, 861 sq. miles —

## The Development of the Argentine Agriculture Cultivated areas in hectares (1000 hectares 3, 861 sq. miles)



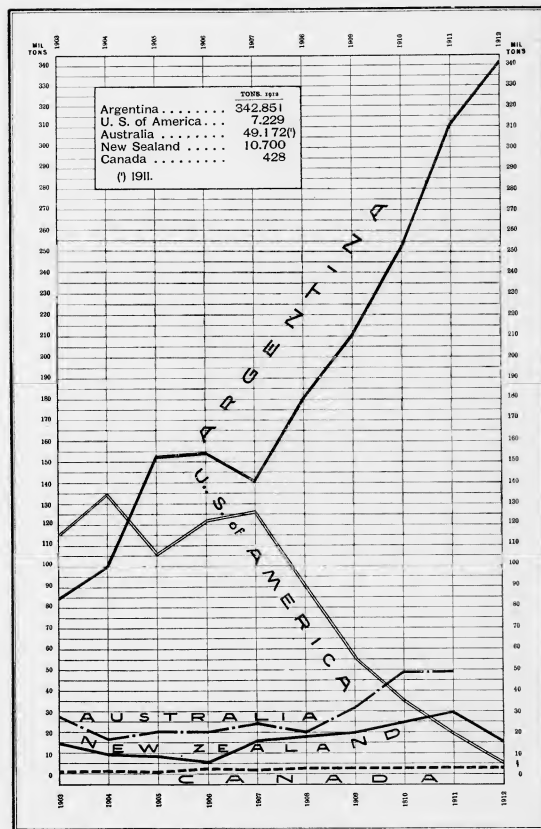
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Progress of argentine trade compared with the principal exporting countries.

	Argentina — Tons.	U. S. of America — Tons.	Australia — Tons.	New Zealand — Tons.	Canada — Tons.
1903	85,520	115,525	27,737	14,296	1,078
1904	97,744	135,829	17,817	9,241	1,343
1905	152,857	107,223	19,695	8,084	604
1906	153,809	121,536	18,844	7,878	1,309
1907	138,222	127,701	23,560	16,298	* 660
1908	180,814	91,203	18,457	17,991	1,022
1909	210,657	55,746	32,251	18,969	712
1910	253,708	34,336	49,491	24,331	596
1911	312,834	19,214	49,172	29,002	440
1912	342,851	7,229	—	10,700	428
	1,929,016	815,542	256,994	156,790	8,192

## FROZEN AND CHILLED BEEF

Progress of Argentine Exports compared with the principal exporting countries



**Principal Ports of the World.**  
**The port of Buenos Aires ranks in the 8<sup>th</sup> place, and in the 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
**amongst the ports of America**

Comp. led by \*The Bureau of Statistics, Department of Commerce and Labour.—United States of America.

PORTS	Years	Imports — American Dollars	Exports — American Dollars	Total commerce — American Dollars
1 New York..... <sup>(1)</sup>	1912	975,744,320	817,945,803	1,793,690,123
2 London.....	1911	1,119,238,957	672,618,684	1,791,857,641
3 Hamburg.....	1911	962,925,352	711,261,824	1,674,187,176
4 Liverpool.....	1911	778,225,287	859,055,190	1,637,280,447
5 Antwerp.....	1911	593,644,473	526,402,827	1,120,047,300
6 Marseilles.....	1910	331,603,900	283,483,400	615,087,300
7 Havre.....	1910	303,061,100	253,291,500	556,352,600
8 Buenos Ayres..... <sup>(2)</sup>	1912	339,034,276	176,016,087	515,050,383
9 Bremen.....	1911	323,090,469	178,056,071	501,146,540
10 Calcutta.....	1911	157,482,211	252,646,619	410,128,830
11 Bombay.....	1911	153,590,789	204,509,066	358,099,855
12 Hull.....	1911	199,926,677	147,799,722	347,726,399
13 Singapore.....	1910	154,949,233	131,373,163	286,322,396
14 Trieste.....	1911	141,795,166	124,710,102	266,505,268
15 Manchester.....	1911	158,175,626	105,313,586	263,489,212
16 Genoa.....	1910	174,837,600	80,249,414	261,087,014
17 Sydney.....	1910	109,201,939	148,645,836	257,847,775
18 Alexandria.....	1911	117,051,940	138,477,779	255,529,719
19 Shanghai.....	1911	141,423,800	104,414,266	245,838,066
20 Southampton.....	1911	101,052,736	128,728,424	229,781,160
21 Glasgow.....	1911	76,068,987	153,318,323	229,387,310
22 New Orleans..... <sup>(3)</sup>	1912	75,089,887	149,160,910	224,250,797
23 Glyveston..... <sup>(4)</sup>	1912	4,309,758	218,146,097	222,455,855
24 Santos..... <sup>(5)</sup>	1911	62,300,122	155,464,323	217,764,445
25 Montreal..... <sup>(6)</sup>	1912	138,291,851	74,944,869	213,236,720
26 Dnukirk.....	1910	170,513,600	34,586,600	205,100,200
27 Yokohama.....	1911	87,565,655	113,584,735	201,150,390
28 Boston..... <sup>(7)</sup>	1912	129,293,016	66,692,171	198,985,187
29 Bordeaux.....	1910	94,964,900	98,174,900	193,139,800
30 Kobe.....	1911	127,884,899	60,049,772	187,934,671
31 Melbourne.....	1910	98,845,275	83,438,946	170,284,221
32 Gimsby.....	1911	65,912,484	98,540,279	164,452,763
33 Philadelphia..... <sup>(8)</sup>	1912	85,038,185	69,069,730	154,107,915

PORTS	Years	Imports — American Dollars	Exports — American Dollars	Total commerce — American Dollars
34 Harwich.....	1911	190,192,590	38,221,199	147,413,789
35 Riga.....	1910	46,595,100	91,715,800	138,310,900
36 St. Petersburg.....	1910	77,156,300	58,783,100	135,939,400
37 Rio de Janeiro..... <sup>(9)</sup>	1910	87,257,063	38,068,876	125,325,939
38 Havana..... <sup>(10)</sup>	1910	71,793,680	46,946,485	118,740,165
39 Baltimore..... <sup>(11)</sup>	1912	26,438,400	92,210,877	118,649,277
40 Rosario..... <sup>(12)</sup>	1912	31,337,826	82,161,035	113,498,861
41 Savannah..... <sup>(13)</sup>	1912	5,129,979	104,286,925	109,416,904
42 Leith.....	1911	73,261,366	35,393,539	108,654,905
43 San Francisco..... <sup>(14)</sup>	1912	59,235,471	49,249,734	108,485,205
44 Puget Sound..... <sup>(15)</sup>	1912	39,011,250	63,745,572	102,756,822
45 Tyne ports.....	1911	47,616,717	50,083,799	97,700,516
46 Bristol.....	1911	75,710,603	19,548,419	95,259,022
47 Cardiff.....	1911	29,280,621	61,648,009	90,928,630
48 Barcelona.....	1910	57,688,833	26,774,964	84,463,797
49 Vera Cruz..... <sup>(16)</sup>	1912	36,309,552	43,614,582	79,924,134
50 Bahia Blanca..... <sup>(17)</sup>	1912	11,076,892	66,612,301	77,689,193
51 Odessa.....	1910	29,132,500	41,391,000	70,523,500
52 Fiume.....	1910	31,023,938	37,642,377	68,666,315
53 Valparaiso..... <sup>(18)</sup>	1911	61,279,896	5,547,320	66,827,216
54 Montevideo..... <sup>(19)</sup>	1909	34,949,864	30,908,320	65,858,184
55 Tampico..... <sup>(20)</sup>	1912	19,037,493	46,192,692	65,230,185
56 Rostov.....	1910	544,600	49,007,900	49,552,500
57 Reval.....	1910	34,086,300	12,899,200	46,985,500
58 Belfast.....	1911	39,620,551	6,250,985	45,871,536
59 Vindau.....	1910	5,764,900	36,397,600	42,162,500
60 La Plata..... <sup>(21)</sup>	1912	8,929,952	31,361,939	40,291,891
61 Libau.....	1910	15,943,900	24,011,900	39,955,800
62 Iquique..... <sup>(22)</sup>	1911	10,209,782	26,449,537	36,659,319
63 Bilbao.....	1910	15,561,498	10,901,903	26,463,401
64 Vladivostok.....	1910	24,706,600	896,300	25,602,900
65 Batoum.....	1910	5,828,400	17,414,000	23,442,400
66 Kherson.....	1910	9,300	22,614,500	22,623,800

Table showing movement  
in the ports of the Argentine Republic in 1912

	OVER-SEA		COASTING AND FLUVIAL		TOTAL	
	Number	Tons	Number	Tons	Number	Tons
Steamers:						
Entries .....	4,655	11,220,540.28	21,071	11,139,892.—	25,726	22,360,432.28
Sailings .....	4,739	11,542,880.59	30,207	10,906,630.83	34,946	22,449,511.42
Sailing ships:						
Entries .....	255	310,217.87	36,776	2,416,250.12	37,031	2,926,467.99
Sailings .....	245	299,075.26	38,507	2,308,187.66	38,753	2,607,262.92
Totals...	9,895	23,372,714.—	126,561	26,770,960.61	136,456	50,143,674.61
Corresponding to the port of Buenos Aires.	4,450	11,770,609.37	34,804	7,281,393.83	39,254	19,052,093.20

Tonnage of sea-going and coasting vessels  
(both steam and sail) entered at and cleared from the Argentine Ports  
in 1912 — showing nationalities

	TONS.		TONS.
Argentine .....	26,536,755.82	Brazil .....	115,062.—
U. Kingdom .....	16,023,640.80	Sweden .....	107,632.15
Germany .....	2,609,220.10	Denmark .....	105,575.47
Italy .....	1,257,405.47	Chile .....	75,395.24
France .....	979,083.87	Russia .....	49,500.33
Norway .....	532,606.90	Greece .....	32,987.—
Austria .....	482,046.45	United States .....	28,348.—
Holland .....	400,003.95	Other .....	85,156.08
Spain .....	326,056.45		
Belgium .....	262,866.07	Total tonnage..	50,143,674.61
Uruguay .....	133,702.46		

Increase of tonnage — Entrance & Clearings to and from ports  
of the Argentine Republic during the last 12 years

YEAR	TOTAL TONNAGE	INCREASE OVER THE YEAR 1900	
1900	25,241,618		
1901	26,719,803	1,478,285	5.85 %
1902	26,697,878	1,456,260	5.70 »
1903	30,710,081	5,468,463	21.66 »
1904	32,225,249	6,983,631	27.66 »
1905	33,458,188	8,216,570	32.55 »
1906	34,109,260	8,867,642	35.13 »
1907	37,271,143	12,090,525	47.66 »
1908	41,035,798	15,794,180	62.57 »
1909	43,570,525	18,328,907	72.63 »
1910	44,713,712	19,472,094	77.1 »
1911	43,311,771	18,070,153	71.6 »
1912	50,143,674	24,902,056	98.6 »

Principal ports of the Argentine Republic.  
Their respective importance in the foreign trade — 1912

PORTS	Imports — gold	Exports — gold	Totals — gold
1 Buenos Aires .....	315,161,703	181,767,045	496,928,748
2 Rosario .....	32,465,988	85,118,833	117,584,821
3 Bahía Blanca .....	11,475,661	69,010,344	80,486,005
4 La Plata .....	9,251,431	32,490,969	41,742,400
5 San Nicolás .....	67,372	20,819,844	20,887,216
6 Santa Fé .....	3,397,492	13,065,075	17,362,567
7 Zárate .....	1,184,077	11,104,645	12,288,722
8 Concordia .....	384,196	10,657,734	11,041,930
9 Campana .....	3,033,351	7,333,149	10,366,500
10 Colon .....	611,477	6,753,099	7,354,576
11 Paraná .....	528,708	5,499,349	5,998,057
12 Villa Constitución .....	2,920,151	1,641,570	4,561,721
13 San Lorenzo .....	—	4,620,960	4,620,960
14 Concepción del Uruguay .....	1,569,588	3,046,245	4,615,833
15 Gualeguaychú .....	74,305	2,560,703	2,635,008
16 San Pedro .....	—	1,977,791	1,977,791
17 Paso de los Libres .....	9,410	1,760,467	1,769,877
18 Piraguaito .....	—	1,736,813	1,736,813
19 Gualeguay .....	873,129	861,453	1,734,582
20 San Jorge .....	—	1,437,440	1,437,440
21 Mendoza .....	76,903	1,214,561	1,291,464
22 P. Gaboto .....	—	1,070,320	1,070,320
23 Patagones .....	23,701	1,046,128	1,069,829
24 Victoria .....	—	842,274	842,274
25 Barranqueras .....	1,900	835,036	836,936
26 Monte Caseros .....	13,184	786,186	799,370
27 Salta .....	236	774,294	774,530
28 P. Madryn .....	—	739,760	739,760
29 Posadas .....	467,968	245,802	713,770
30 La Paz .....	108,602	603,331	711,933
31 San Antonio .....	—	684,488	684,488
32 Rio Gallegos .....	—	676,468	676,468
33 Baradero .....	—	607,540	607,540
34 Lavalle .....	—	591,703	591,703
Other ports .....	1,162,936	5,539,828	6,702,764
	384,853,469	480,391,256	865,244,725
= £	76,359,815	95,315,725	171,675,540

## LIVE STOCK.—Last census—30th May 1908

	Number of heads	OFFICIAL VALUATION	
		\$ currency	Equivalent in £
Cattle .....	20,116,625	938,685,834	81,981,295
Sheep .....	67,211,758	287,359,076	25,096,863
Horses .....	7,531,376	205,826,834	17,976,143
Mules .....	465,037	22,501,075	1,970,399
Swine .....	1,403,591	15,672,637	1,368,789
Goats .....	3,945,086	8,321,839	726,798
Asses .....	285,088	2,854,950	249,341
		\$ 1,481,282 245	£ 129,369,628

Production of principal commodities subject to taxation—  
Registered at the Inland Revenue Department

YEARS	SUGAR — TONS	ALCOHOL — LITERS	BEER — LITERS	WINE — LITERS	TOBACCO — KILOGRS
1903	141,284	13,915,408	32,410,950	189,156,341	3,810,307
1904	230,092	15,105,513	37,308,991	174,126,251	8,090,552
1905	137,091	19,931,643	53,559,453	183,840,859	8,371,749
1906	118,818	18,933,104	64,754,249	242,589,443	3,778,269
1907	113,427	19,721,855	70,216,303	262,113,465	4,568,073
1908	161,688	19,096,717	81,317,867	321,878,246	6,250,011
1909	127,322	20,015,509	86,256,062	233,802,980	9,922,286
1910	148,592	18,841,008	98,056,959	339,568,277	6,884,891
1911	181,125	16,334,697	100,252,199	378,141,863	5,829,862
1912	149,980	18,861,676	109,443,121	421,062,100	5,564,289

## Route followed by the Argentine foreign trade through the Atlantic Ocean

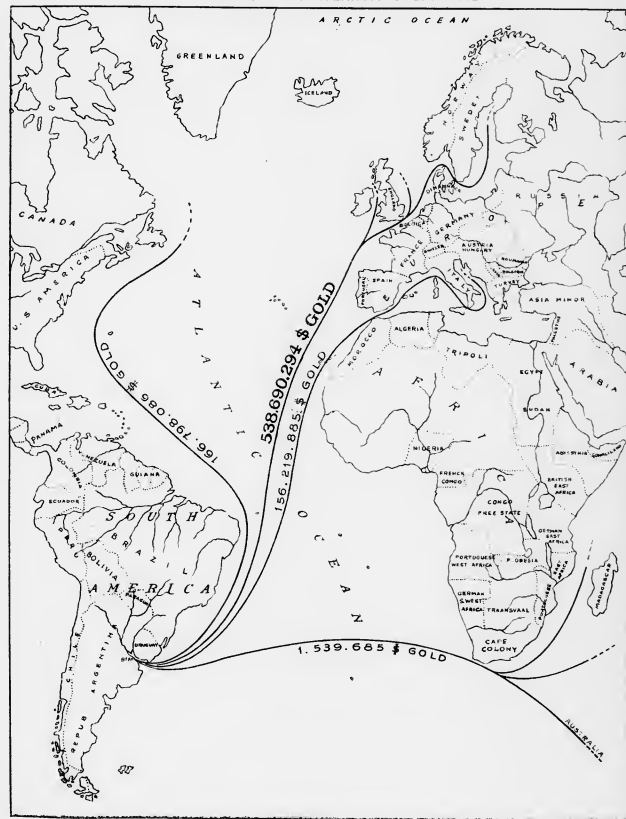
	\$ gold	\$ gold	\$ gold
TO THE NORTH OF EUROPE			
1 United Kingdom .....	240,042,584		
2 Germany .....	117,936,678		
3 Belgium .....	57,628,755		
4 Holland .....	19,468,890		
5 British Possessions .....	6,662,122		
6 A. Hungary .....	6,373,603		
7 Sweden .....	3,786,256		
8 Norway .....	3,273,535		
9 Switzerland .....	2,183,400		
10 Denmark .....	1,029,517		
11 Russia .....	639,502		
12 Dutch Possessions .....	31,140		
13 German do .....	5,525		
14 Danish do .....	496		
15 Bulgaria .....	159		
Corresponding proportion of exports "for orders"		79,628 132	
Total to the North of Europe..			538,690,294
TO THE SOUTH OF EUROPE			
1 France .....	73,670,587		
2 Italy .....	53,635,114		
3 Spain .....	15,510,802		
4 Portugal .....	1,070,101		
5 Turkey .....	266,555		
6 Greece .....	109,076		
7 French Possessions .....	85,005		
8 Portuguese do .....	35,865		
9 Spanish do .....	1,718		
Corresponding proportion of exports "for orders"		11,835,062	
Total to the South of Europe..			156,219,885
TO AMERICA			
1 United States .....	91,518,099		
2 Brazil .....	32,193,598		
3 Uruguay .....	7,211,393		

4 Paraguay .....	3,347,431		
5 Chile .....	3,027,692		
6 Canada .....	2,284,381		
7 Cuba .....	1,888,121		
8 Bolivia .....	1,361,134		
9 Mexico .....	414,075		
10 Guatemala .....	44,266		
11 U. States Possessions .....	34,634		
12 Ecuador .....	14,290		
13 Peru .....	11,195		
14 Venezuela .....	4,766		
15 Santo Domingo .....	2,403		
16 Colombia .....	298	143,357,770	
Corresponding proportion of exports «for orders» .....	23,440,316		166,798,086
To ASIA AND AFRICA			
1 Japan .....	774,885		
2 China .....	503,847		
3 Africa .....	252,560		
4 Egypt .....	8,893	1,539,685	1,539,685
To AUSTRALASIA .....	544,494	544,394	544,394
COAL PROVISION .....			1,452,381
Grand total .....			865,244,725

TOTAL TRADE AS PER ARGENTINE STATISTICS

Imports. — \$ gold .....	384,853,469
Exports .....	365,487,746
Id. «for orders» .....	114,903,510
\$ gold .....	865,244,725
£ .....	171,675,540

ROUTE FOLLOWED BY THE ARGENTINE FOREIGN TRADE  
THROUGH THE ATLANTIC OCEAN · 1912



# Area and Population.

The Argentine Republic consists of fourteen provinces and ten territories, containing the population and area of land shown in the following table.

PROVINCES and TERRITORIES	AREA — Square Kilometers 1903	POPULATION		
		National Census		Direct, of Statist and Rural Econ
		1869	1895	
Buenos Aires... Capital...	186	187,346	663,854	1,360,406
Buenos Aires... Province...	305,121	307,761	921,168	2,017,242
Santa Fé..... »	131,382	89,117	397,188	915,132
Entre Ríos..... »	75,754	134,271	292,019	394,661
Corrientes..... »	86,879	129,023	239,618	347,649
Córdoba..... »	173,349	210,508	351,223	640,998
San Luis..... »	75,219	53,294	81,450	125,867
S. del Estero... »	143,484	132,898	161,502	227,003
Mendoza..... »	146,378	65,413	116,136	247,848
San Juan..... »	98,096	60,319	84,251	125,867
La Rioja..... »	98,030	48,746	69,502	93,466
Catamarca..... »	95,337	79,962	90,161	116,322
Tucumán..... »	27,000	108,953	215,742	325,851
Salta..... »	125,134	88,933	118,015	157,720
Jujuy..... »	38,347	40,379	49,713	64,197
Misiones..... Territory...	29,822		33,163	45,174
Formosa..... »	107,258		4,829	17,232
Chaco..... »	136,635		10,422	37,570
Pampa..... »	145,907		25,914	91,333
Neuquén..... »	105,000		14,517	29,377
Río Negro..... »	206,750	93,291	9,241	40,200
Chubut..... »	242,039		3,748	30,360
Santa Cruz..... »	282,750		1,058	8,620
Tierra del Fuego	21,499		477	3,675
Los Andes..... »	90,000		—	4,154
	2,987,356	1,830,214	3,954,911	7,467,878

Density of population in various countries comprising the same area of the Argentine Republic.

A table to forecast what the future of the Republic will be.

(Official statistics 1911/12.)

	AREA SQ. MILES	POPULATION	PER SQ. MILE
Germany.....	208,780	64,925,993	311
Austria - Hungary.....	241,333	49,418,598	204
Belgium.....	11,373	7,490,411	659
Denmark.....	15,582	2,775,076	178
France.....	207,054	39,601,509	191
Holland.....	12,648	6,022,432	476
Italy.....	110,580	34,671,377	313
Norway.....	124,130	2,437,646	19
Portugal.....	35,490	5,960,056	168
Sweden.....	172,880	5,604,192	33
Switzerland.....	15,976	3,781,430	236
Argentine Republic 2,987,356 sq. kilom.)	1,155,796	222,688,740	192.6
	1,153,419	7,467,878	6.5

Arrival of immigrants in the Republic from 1857 to 1912.

YEARS	NUMBER	NATIONALITIES	ARRIVALS IN 1912
1857/60	20,000	Italians..... 2,133,508	Italians..... 165,662
1861/70	159,570	Spaniards..... 1,298,122	Spaniards..... 80,583
1871/80	260,613	French..... 206,912	Russians..... 20,832
1881/90	846,568	Russians..... 136,659	Syrians..... 19,792
1891/900	648,326	Syrians..... 109,234	Austrians..... 6,545
1901/905	526,030	Austrians..... 80,736	French..... 5,180
1906/910	1,238,073	Germans..... 55,068	Portuguese..... 4,959
1911/12	549,175	Britons..... 51,660	Germans..... 4,337
		Swiss..... 31,624	Britons..... 3,134
		Belgians..... 22,186	Danes..... 1,316
		Portuguese..... 21,378	N. Americans.. 1,005
		Danes..... 7,086	Swiss..... 499
		Dutch..... 7,120	Belgians..... 405
		N. Americans.. 5,509	Dutch..... 274
		Swedes..... 1,702	Swedes..... 94
		Others..... 79,251	Others..... 8,786
Total.....	4,248,355	Total.....	323,403
Total..	4,248,355		

Postal and Telegraphic Returns.

The number of permanent employees in 1912 was 13,347.

The postal movement in the same year amounted to 1,091,513,278 pieces of correspondence. Excess over 1911 — 191,558,953.

For the transportation of correspondence during 1912, 661,349 mails were despatched, the distance covered being 41,255,108 kilometers, divided as follows

by Railways.....	37,453,231 kilometers	567,119 mails
» Steamers.....	570,405 »	11,416 »
» Stage-coaches and mounted messengers.....	3,231,472 »	82,814 »

Inward and outward telegrams by the national lines: 15,812,885.

	Kilometers	Length of wires
National telegraph lines.....	30,177	78,181
Province of Buenos Aires.....	6,229	9,897
» » Entre Rios.....	1,299	2,284
Railways.....	28,775	113,554
Telegráfica telefónica Río de la Plata Co.....	295	1,225
Telegráfica Río de la Plata Co.....	72	288
Centro y Sud América Co.....	1,529	4,354
Pacific Telegraph Co.....	1,227	2,454
Total.....	69,603	212,237

Post office revenue 1912..... £ 1,014,601

National telegraph »..... » 355,946

International Postal drafts 1912..... »

» » » Paid..... » 80,530

» » » Issued..... » 102,781

Postal Parcels with declared value:..... »

» » » » Received..... » 667,735

» » » » Forwarded..... » 656,720

Number of mail coaches..... 832

» » railway estafets..... 678

» » mounted postmen..... 724

Principal articles of Importation in 1912 exceeding \$ 1,000,000 gold  
or say £ 200,000, and principal countries of origin

1 Coal.....	25,955,292	U. Kingdom.. 94.4 % United States.. 3.1 Germany..... 1.5 A.-Hungary... 0.5	99.5 %
2 Coloured wove prints .....	10,689,828	U. Kingdom.. 42.4 % Italy..... 35.4 Germany..... 9.0 Belgium..... 8.1 France..... 2.3 Spain..... 2.0	99.2 %
3 Sack cloth.....	8,658,175	B. Possessions.. 58.5 % U. Kingdom.. 39.5	98.0 %
4 Pitch pine.....	8,460,952	United States.. .....	99.0 %
5 Machinery (various kinds)....	6,985,917	Germany..... 37.1 % U. Kingdom.. 30.0 United States.. 16.2 France..... 6.4 Belgium..... 4.2 Italy..... 2.8	96.7 %
6 Pig and sheet iron.....	6,516,677	Belgium..... 42.0 % Germany..... 39.6 U. Kingdom.. 10.4 United States.. 6.5	98.5 %
7 Galvanized iron.....	6,383,572	U. Kingdom.. 66.0 % United States.. 22.7 Germany..... 6.2 Belgium..... 4.6	99.5 %
8 Woollen cloths.....	6,173,821	U. Kingdom.. 59.9 % Germany..... 17.4 France..... 14.9 Belgium..... 3.7 Italy..... 2.1	98.0 %
9 Naphta impure.....	5,917,883	United States.. .....	96.2 %
10 Automobiles.....	5,346,149	France..... 43.6 % Germany..... 15.9 Italy..... 10.6 United States.. 10.5 Belgium..... 8.4	89.0 %
11 Steel rails.....	5,272,960	U. Kingdom.. 43.7 % Germany..... 26.4 United States.. 14.5 Belgium..... 14.5	99.1 %
12 Railway material.....	5,195,266	U. Kingdom.. 82.8 % Belgium..... 7.5 Germany..... 4.7 United States.. 2.6	99.7 %

13 Yerba-mate.....	5,125,480	Brasil..... .....	100 %
14 Bleached cotton goods.....	4,987,636	U. Kingdom.. 84.8 % Italy..... 7.8 Germany..... 2.7	95.3 %
15 Olive oil.....	4,921,157	Italy..... 65.9 % Spain..... 27.5 United States.. 3.1 France..... 3.0	99.5 %
16 Portland cement.....	4,134,031	Belgium..... 44.8 % France..... 18.8 United States.. 16.0 Sweden..... 8.2 Germany..... 6.4	94.2 %
17 Ordinary wine (in casks).....	4,059,170	Spain..... 41.3 % Italy..... 34.7 France..... 23.2	99.2 %
18 Railway waggons.....	3,950,791	U. Kingdom.. 69.5 % United States.. 14.6 Belgium..... 13.5	97.6 %
19 Cotton prints.....	3,827,393	U. Kingdom.. 70.6 % Germany..... 12.4 Italy..... 6.6 Spain..... 6.2	95.8 %
20 Spruce.....	3,823,429	United States.. 45.0 % Canada..... 38.8 Sweden..... 8.5 A.-Hungary... 3.3	95.6 %
21 Parcel post.....	3,428,805	France..... 28.5 % Italy..... 25.5 Germany..... 25.4 U. Kingdom.. 18.4	97.8 %
22 Iron columns and beams.....	3,395,198	Germany..... 56.3 % Belgium..... 22.5 France..... 15.1 United States.. 3.0	96.9 %
23 Vermouth .....	2,930,440	Italy..... 71.5 % France..... 28.3	99.8 %
24 Woollen and mixed goods....	2,900,677	U. Kingdom.. 72.1 % Germany..... 15.7 France..... 4.7 Italy..... 4.7	97.2 %
25 Sisal twine.....	2,865,422	United States.. .....	90.9 %
26 Wrought iron.....	2,852,878	U. Kingdom.. 42.0 % Belgium..... 27.8 Germany..... 13.7 United States.. 11.6	95.1 %
27 Reapers.....	2,811,249	United States.. 71.7 % Australia..... 13.8 Canada..... 11.6 U. Kingdom.. 1.7	98.8 %

		United States.. 22.0 %	
		U. Kingdom.. 19.2	
		A.-Hungary... 19.1	
38 Furniture.....	2.765.004	France..... 18.3	
		Germany..... 11.5	
		Italy..... 5.4	95.5 %
		United States.. 40.5 %	
39 Spare parts of machinery.....	2.764.317	U. Kingdom.. 23.4	
		Germany..... 23.2	
		Sweden..... 2.3	
		France..... 2.2	
		Belgium..... 1.5	93.1 %
		Germany..... 40.2 %	
40 Wire and cables for electric purposes.....	2.707.591	U. Kingdom.. 40.1	
		Italy..... 10.1	
		Belgium..... 4.7	
		United States.. 1.5	96.6 %
		United States.. 51.7 %	
41 Lubricating oils .....	2.609.603	U. Kingdom.. 31.3	
		Belgium..... 10.9	
		Russia..... 2.8	
		Germany..... 2.5	99.2 %
		Italy..... 84.6 %	
42 Cleaned rice.....	2.566.026	Holland..... 7.5	92.1 %
		Brazil..... 83.8 %	
43 Tobacco (other than Havanah).....	2.517.108	United States.. 13.1	96.9 %
44 Sheep dip.....	2.433.169	U. Kingdom.. ..	91.7 %
		France..... 54.9 %	
		Germany..... 18.3	
45 Silk cloths .....	2.426.664	Italy..... 12.7	
		U. Kingdom.. 8.8	94.7 %
46 Petroleum .....	2.372.305	United States.. ..	100 %
		France..... 52.7 %	
47 Patent medicines.....	2.271.111	United States.. 15.5	
		Italy..... 11.2	
		Germany..... 9.4	
		U. Kingdom.. 7.0	95.8 %
		U. Kingdom.. 84.4 %	
48 Locomotives.....	2.268.045	Germany..... 13.4	
		Belgium..... 2.2	100 %
		United States.. 81.1 %	
49 White pine.....	2.207.272	Canada..... 9.0	
		U. Kingdom.. 6.6	96.7 %
		Italy..... 79.4 %	
50 Cheese.....	2.149.834	Holland..... 8.9	
		Switzerland.. 6.8	
		France..... 3.5	98.6 %
		Germany..... 51.0 %	
51 Galvanized wire.....	2.088.847	United States.. 31.7	
		U. Kingdom.. 12.3	
		Belgium..... 4.5	99.5 %

		Germany..... 41.6 %	
42 Jewelry (fine).....	1.916.627	France..... 33.6	
		U. Kingdom.. 9.7	
		Italy..... 8.7	
		Belgium..... 3.3	96.9 %
		Italy..... 49.6 %	
43 Seeds.....	1.886.469	Germany..... 24.0	
		France..... 15.1 %	
		Russia..... 2.5	
		United States.. 2.4	93.6 %
		Germany..... 74.0 %	
44 Dynamos & electric motors...	1.697.159	U. Kingdom.. 13.4	
		Italy..... 4.5	
		Belgium..... 3.0	94.9 %
45 Coffee.....	1.690.793	Brazil..... ..	97.9 %
		United States.. 45.2 %	
46 Paper for newspapers.....	1.668.792	Germany..... 37.5	
		Sweden..... 7.4	90.1 %
		U. Kingdom.. 43.1 %	
47 Sheet glass... ..	1.594.663	Belgium..... 30.1	
		Germany..... 13.1	
		France..... 4.5	96.8 %
		United States.. 80.0 %	
48 Thrashing machines.....	1.572.054	U. Kingdom.. 11.8	
		Germany..... 8.0	99.8 %
		Italy..... 28.7 %	
49 Spun cotton unbleached.....	1.563.514	Holland..... 23.3	
		U. Kingdom.. 21.6	
		Belgium..... 14.1	
		United States.. 4.7	92.4 %
		Germany..... 27.0 %	
50 Spare parts of carriages & automobiles.....	1.559.178	France..... 25.8	
		U. Kingdom.. 23.3	
		Italy..... 14.4	
		United States.. 4.3	94.8 %
		Germany..... 34.5 %	
51 Tramway material.....	1.514.311	U. Kingdom.. 31.6	
		Belgium..... 27.4	
		United States.. 5.0	98.5 %
		France..... 35.8 %	
52 Cotton and silk goods.....	1.500.236	United States.. 29.7	
		Germany..... 19.0	
		Italy..... 11.7	96.2 %
		Germany..... 41.3 %	
53 Woollen goods.....	1.469.606	France..... 35.6	
		U. Kingdom.. 16.5	93.4 %
		France..... 73.9 %	
54 Perfumery.....	1.462.695	U. Kingdom.. 14.6	88.5 %

55 Cotton socks.....	1.458.262	{ Germany..... 78,2 % France..... 15,8	94,0 %
		{ Switzerland... 38,0 % France..... 21,7	
56 Watches (other than gold)...	1.445.915	{ Germany..... 16,5 Italy..... 13,3 United States... 8,2	97,7 %
		{ Germany..... 32,3 % U. Kingdom... 22,1 United States... 15,6	
57 Iron manufactures.....	1.428.677	{ France..... 10,3 Belgium..... 8,8	99,1 %
		{ U. Kingdom... 41,4 % Germany..... 30,7	
58 Cotton lace.....	1.397.930	{ France..... 9,2 Switzerland... 8,1 Italy..... 8,0	97,4 %
		{ U. Kingdom... 74,7 % United States... 17,7	
59 Galvanized iron pipes.....	1.341.502	{ Germany..... 6,4	98,8 %
		{ U. Kingdom... 54,9 % Germany..... 24,1	
60 Cotton and woollen goods...	1.304.883	{ Belgium..... 9,3 France..... 6,0 Italy..... 5,3	99,6 %
		{ U. Kingdom... ..	92,0 %
61 Wheels and axles.....	1.302.619	{ U. Kingdom... 36,8 % Spain..... 30,3 France..... 13,3 Italy..... 12,1 Germany..... 4,6	96,1 %
62 Printed books.....	1.300.323	{ Germany..... 61,2 % Belgium..... 8,0 France..... 8,0 U. Kingdom... 7,4 United States... 4,5	88,9 %
63 Household utensils.....	1.254.103	{ U. Kingdom... 90,9 % United States... 9,1	100, %
64 Railway cars.....	1.234.447	{ Germany..... 41,9 France..... 36,3 United States... 13,2	91,4 %
65 Cotton goods.....	1.229.160	{ U. Kingdom... 64,5 % Germany..... 20,3 Belgium..... 5,4 United States... 4,4 France..... 2,9	97,5 %
66 Iron pipes (other than galvanized).....	1.214.474	{ U. Kingdom... 42,6 % Belgium..... 27,0 Germany..... 14,0 France..... 13,5	97,1 %
67 Linen cloth.....	1.198.606		

68 Paper for printed matter.....	1.196.644	{ Germany..... 82,1 % U. Kingdom... 5,3	87,4 %
		{ U. Kingdom... 42,3 % Germany..... 34,7 United States... 11,0 Belgium..... 10,4	98,4 %
69 Steel sleepers.....	1.188.964	{ United States... 55,3 U. Kingdom... 27,6 Germany..... 7,5 Italy..... 6,0	96,4 %
70 Motors of various kinds.....	1.183.924	{ Germany..... 49,0 % France..... 17,5 Belgium..... 17,1 U. Kingdom... 6,0 Holland..... 4,1	93,7 %
71 Glassware.....	1.169.894	{ U. Kingdom... 77,6 % Italy..... 18,7	96,3 %
72 Unbleached cotton goods.....	1.167.941	{ Germany..... ..	99,9 %
73 Sugar unrefined.....	1.142.001	{ Belgium..... 34,0 % U. Kingdom... 24,9 Holland..... 23,9 Germany..... 9,5	92,3 %
74 Wax candles.....	1.134.273	{ A. - Hungary... 94,4 % Germany..... 5,5	99,8 %
75 Malt.....	1.113.244	{ U. Kingdom... 37,5 % Germany..... 26,2 France..... 13,4 United States... 9,4 Belgium..... 5,3 Sweden..... 5,0	96,8 %
76 Copper manufactures.....	1.112.019	{ China..... 37,0 % B. Possessions... 30,4 U. Kingdom... 28,6	96,0 %
77 Tea.....	1.110.905	{ U. Kingdom... 90,3 % Germany..... 5,3 Holland..... 3,0	98,6 %
78 Material for sanitary purposes.	1.105.043	{ Italy..... 70,3 % Switzerland... 12,4 Holland..... 10,9	93,6 %
79 Cigars (other than Havanah)...	1.103.858	{ U. Kingdom... 37,8 % France..... 17,3 United States... 16,0 Germany..... 14,7 Belgium..... 13,1	98,9 %
80 Bolts and nuts.....	1.100.499	{ U. Kingdom... 50,4 % Germany..... 16,1 France..... 11,4 Spain..... 10,0	87,9 %
81 Coloured cotton goods.....	1.098.089		

82 Earthenware tiles.....	1.094.138	Belgium.....	40.3 %	
		Spain.....	22.5	
		Germany.....	14.5	
		France.....	10.3	
		U. Kingdom..	9.3	96.9 %
83 Bitters in bottles.....	1.091.152	France.....	56.2 %	
		Italy.....	41.7	97.9 %
84 Tin plate.....	1.074.469	U. Kingdom..	64.9 %	
		United States	33.3	98.2 %
85 Sardines.....	1.068.836	Spain.....	68.7 %	
		Norway.....	13.1 %	
		Portugal.....	7.3	
		France.....	4.3	93.4 %
86 Sand (for building purposes).....	1.061.537	Uruguay..	99.9 %	
87 Coloured cotton yarn.....	1.040.103	Holland.....	28.2 %	
		Italy.....	24.4	
		Belgium.....	16.7	
		Germany.....	12.9	
		U. Kingdom..	11.1	93.3 %
88 Material for bridges.....	1.033.855	U. Kingdom..	77.8 %	
		Germany.....	11.0	
		United States	6.7	
		Belgium.....	4.0	99.5 %
89 Champagne.....	1.020.640	France.....	96.9 %	
Total \$ gold.....	254.336.560			
Other articles under \$ 1,000,000 in value.....	130.516.909			
Gran total \$ gold.....	384.853.469			
£	75.359.815			

**Principal articles of Exportation in 1912, exceeding \$ 1,000,000 gold or say £ 200,000 in value and principal countries of destination.**

The Argentine Statistics does not give the destination of about one fourth of the grain, which is shipped for orders.—To fill this want of information, the above destination of wheat, linseed, maize & quebracho has been calculated upon the foreign statistical returns.

1 Maize.....	108.908.193	U. Kingdom..	52.0 %	
		Germany.....	19.4	
		Belgium.....	6.3	
		Italy.....	4.4	82.1 %
2 Wheat.....	97.835.174	U. Kingdom..	36.9 %	
		Germany.....	20.4	
		Brasil.....	15.6	
		Belgium.....	15.0	
		France.....	5.8	93.7 %
3 Wool.....	58.148.664	France.....	30.8 %	
		Germany.....	29.4	
		U. Kingdom..	15.7	
		United States	10.2	
		Belgium.....	9.6	
		Italy.....	2.2	97.9 %
4 Frozen beef.....	34.285.076	U. Kingdom..	95.7 %	
5 Linseed.....	34.213.565	Germany.....	35.2 %	
		U. Kingdom..	16.3	
		Italy.....	11.8	
		United States	10.2	
		Holland.....	9.3	
		Belgium.....	7.6	90.4 %
6 Salted ox & cow hides.....	24.844.075	United States	33.8 %	
		Germany.....	30.8	
		U. Kingdom..	18.4	
		Belgium.....	9.9	92.9 %
7 Oats.....	21.858.517	U. Kingdom..	42.3 %	
		Italy.....	15.0	
		Belgium.....	12.9	
		Germany.....	11.7	
		Holland.....	9.2	91.1 %
8 Dry ox and cow hides.....	17.285.501	United States	57.9 %	
		Italy.....	13.6	
		Spain.....	8.5	
		Germany.....	6.0	
		Belgium.....	4.2	
		U. Kingdom..	3.4	93.6 %
9 Tallow.....	11.314.728	U. Kingdom..	39.3 %	
		Germany.....	17.0	
		Holland.....	14.7	
		Italy.....	6.7	
		France.....	5.8	
		Belgium.....	5.0	88.5 %

		Uruguay.....	30,0 %	
		Brasil.....	23,6	
		Chile.....	22,4	
		Italy.....	17,2	93,2 %
10 Cattle.....	9.140.080	France.....		93,5 %
		Brasil.....	84,4 %	
11 Sheep skins.....	7.657.157	U. Kingdom.....	4,1	
		Paraguay.....	3,3	91,8 %
12 Wheat flour.....	6.926.280	Germany.....	66,1 %	
		U. Kingdom.....	19,5	
13 Bran.....	5.940.579	France.....	4,4	
		Belgium.....	2,2	92,2 %
14 Frozen mutton.....	5.613.971	U. Kingdom.....		99,1 %
		United States.....	32,5 %	
15 Extract of quebracho.....	4.836.860	Germany.....	25,8	
		U. Kingdom.....	12,3	
		A. Hungary.....	6,6	
		Belgium.....	6,9	83,2 %
		United States.....	42,6 %	
10 Quebracho logs.....	3.568.557	Germany.....	38,4	
		Italy.....	5,5	
		Belgium.....	5,0	91,5 %
		Belgium.....	36,3 %	
17 Horse hair.....	2.111.177	United States.....	25,8	
		Italy.....	11,1	
		France.....	9,8	
		U. Kingdom.....	7,0	90,0 %
11 Preserved meats.....	1.769.882	U. Kingdom.....		98,2 %
16 Butter.....	1.470.982	U. Kingdom.....		97,0 %
		U. Kingdom.....	45,0 %	
20 Whale oil.....	1.438.052	Germany.....	33,7	
		Belgium.....	21,1	98,8 %
21 Jerked beef.....	1.400.748	Cuba.....	73,1 %	
		Brasil.....	21,5	94,6 %
22 Powdered meat.....	1.349.557	U. Kingdom.....		90,5 %
23 Goat skins.....	1.231.096	United States.....	83,6 %	
		U. Kingdom.....	16,4	94,0 %
24 Extract of meat.....	1.223.860	U. Kingdom.....	83,4	
		Belgium.....	16,3	99,7 %
25 Sundry frozen meat.....	1.017.992	U. Kingdom.....		99,8 %
	465.390.833			
Coal provision.....	1.452.281			
Other articles under \$ 1.000.000 in value.....	13.548.042			
Total \$ gold.....	480.391.256			
£	98.215.725			

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